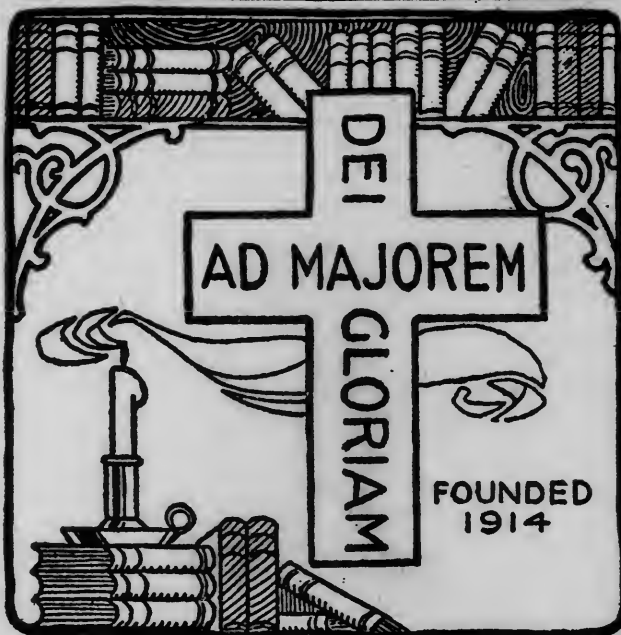


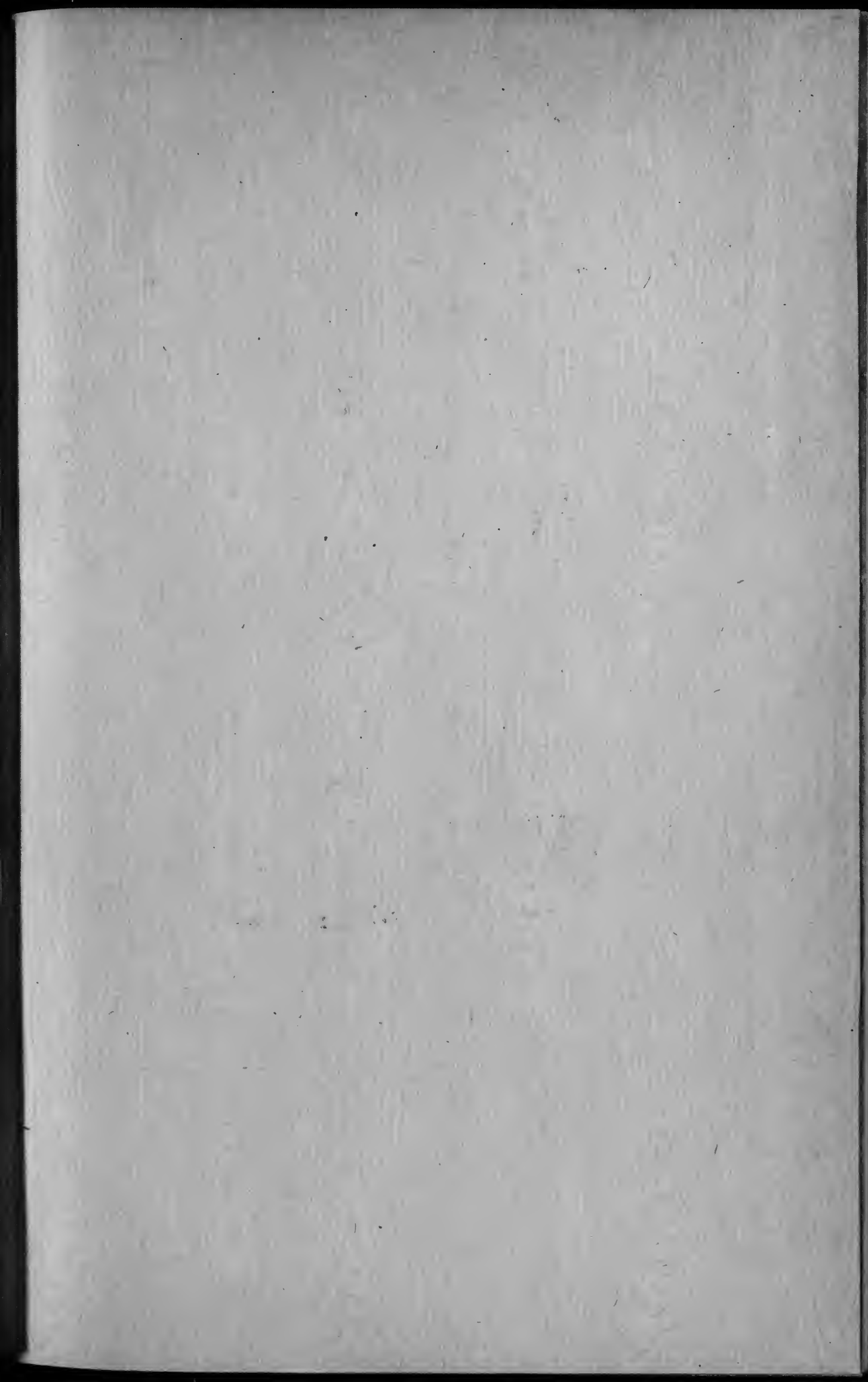
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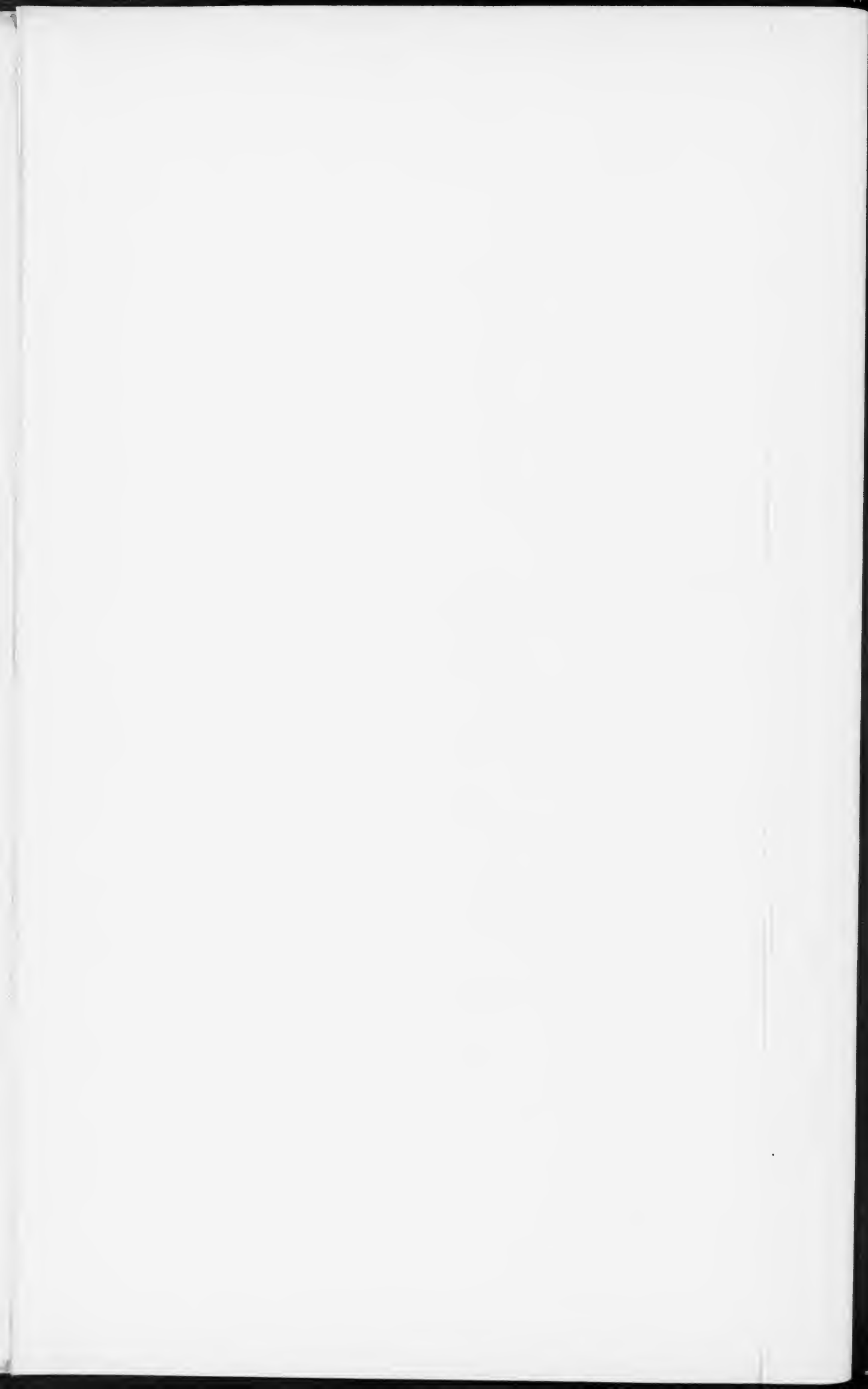


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Oct. 1-7, 1813.	Rees's Chapel, Tenn.....	McKendree and Asbury.....	William B. Elgin.
Sept. 29, 1814.	New Chapel, Ky.....	McKendree and Asbury.....	Thos. L. Douglass.
Oct. 20-29, 1815.	Bethlehem Meetinghouse, Tenn.....	McKendree and Asbury.....	Thos. L. Douglass.
Sept. 23-29, 1816.	Franklin, Tenn.....	William McKendree.....	Thos. L. Douglass.
Oct. 30-Nov. 8, 1817.	Franklin, Tenn.....	{ T. L. Douglass, President; then R. R. Roberts.....	Hardy M. Cryer.
Oct. 1, 1818.	Nashville, Tenn.....	McKendree and George.....	Charles Holliday.
Oct. 1, 1819.	Nashville, Tenn.....	McKendree and George.....	Charles Holliday.
Oct. 4, 1820.	Hopkinsville, Ky.....	Marcus Lindsey, President	Thos. L. Douglass.
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Oct. 16, 1822.	Ebenezer, East Tenn.....	Enoch George.....	Thos. L. Douglass.
Nov. 26, 1823.	Huntsville, Ala.....	Enoch George.....	Thos. L. Douglass.
Nov. —, 1824.	Columbia, Tenn.....	Soule and McKendree.....	Thos. L. Douglass.
Nov. 10-19, 1825.	Shelbyville, Tenn.....	Soule and Roberts.....	German Baker.
Nov. 28, 1826.	Nashville, Tenn.....	Soule and Roberts.....	German Baker.
Dec. 4, 1828.	Murfreesboro, Tenn.....	Joshua Soule.....	Thos. L. Douglass.
Nov. 19, 1829.	Huntsville, Ala.....	{ R. Paine, President; then R. R. Roberts.....	Thos. L. Douglass.
Nov. 3, 1830.	Franklin, Tenn.....	Lewis Garrett, President..	Thos. L. Douglass.
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Oct. 31, 1832.	Nashville, Tenn.....	James O. Andrew.....	Thos. L. Douglass.
Nov. 6, 1833.	Pulaski, Tenn.....	{ McKendree present, but T. L. Douglass presided..	W. L. McAlister.
Nov. 5, 1834.	Lebanon, Tenn.....	Andrew and McKendree.....	Thos. L. Douglass.
Oct. 28, 1835.	Florence, Ala.....	Joshua Soule.....	Thos. L. Douglass.
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Oct. 3, 1838.	Huntsville, Ala.....	F. E. Pitts, President.....	John W. Hanner.
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Oct. 7, 1840.	Murfreesboro, Tenn.....	James O. Andrew.....	John B. McFerrin.
Oct. 20, 1841.	Clarksville, Tenn.....	Beverly Waugh.....	John B. McFerrin.
Oct. 12, 1842.	Athens, Ala.....	James O. Andrew.....	John B. McFerrin.
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Nov. 25, 1848.	Clarksville, Tenn.....	Robert Paine.....	.....
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Oct. 10-18, 1860.	Clarksville, Tenn.....	George F. Pierce.....	Simon P. Whitten.
Oct. 2-8, 1861.	Athens, Ala.....	John Early.....	Simon P. Whitten.
Oct. 15-20, 1862.	Cornersville, Tenn.....	J. B. McFerrin, President..	Robert A. Young.
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Oct. 4-11, 1865.	Edgefield, Tenn.....	H. H. Kavanaugh.....	Robert A. Young.
Oct. 24-30, 1866.	Huntsville, Ala.....	H. N. McTyeire.....	Robert A. Young.
Oct. 23-30, 1867.	Clarksville, Tenn.....	Robert Paine.....	Robert A. Young.
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Oct. 28-Nov. 3, 1891.	West End, Nashville, Tenn.....	A. W. Wilson.....	B. F. Haynes.
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Oct. 18-24, 1893.	Lebanon, Tenn.....	J. C. Keener.....	B. F. Haynes.
Oct. 17-22, 1894.	Franklin, Tenn.....	W. W. Duncan.....	B. F. Haynes.
Oct. 23-28, 1895.	Winchester, Tenn.....	A. W. Wilson.....	L. R. Amis.
Oct. 21-27, 1896.	Nashville, Tenn.....	J. C. Granbery.....	L. R. Amis.
Oct. 20-25, 1897.	Shelbyville, Tenn.....	E. R. Hendrix.....	L. R. Amis.
Oct. 19-25, 1898.	Clarksville, Tenn.....	J. S. Key.....	L. R. Amis.
Oct. 18-24, 1899.	Columbia, Tenn.....	C. B. Galloway.....	L. R. Amis.
Oct. 24-29, 1900.	McMinnville, Tenn.....	C. B. Galloway.....	L. R. Amis.
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1. The regular hour of meeting shall be 8:30, and adjourn at 12. A majority of those present and voting may extend the session temporarily, but the hour of meeting shall not be changed except by a two-thirds vote. Special afternoon or evening sessions may be ordered by a majority vote.

2. The presiding officer shall cause the session to be opened promptly with divine service, and after the reading and approval of the journal the Chair shall call the disciplinary questions according to his discretion, subject to the order of the day.

3. Special committees ordered by the Conference shall be appointed by the Chair, unless otherwise provided for.

4. When the report of a committee is under discussion, a representative of the committee shall have the right to close the discussion, and the call of the previous question shall be subject to that right.

5. The presiding officer shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Conference. When such appeal is taken, the person making the appeal shall be allowed to state the ground of his appeal, and the Chair the ground of his decision. Otherwise than this, the vote shall be taken without debate.

6. Every resolution shall be in writing, signed by at least two members, and every substitute and amendment or report of a committee shall be in writing.

7. A report, resolution, or other paper shall be considered in possession of the Conference when it has been presented to and received by the Conference and read by the Secretary, and such document cannot be withdrawn without the consent of a majority of the Conference present and voting.

8. In the disposition of matter before the Conference, the following motions shall have precedence: (1) The previous question. (2) Lie on the table. (3) Postpone to definite time. (4) Commit. (5) Amend. (6) Substitute. (7) Indefinite postponement. (8) It shall be in order to offer an amendment to an amendment, and one amendment to a substitute. Should a motion assume this shape, the order of voting shall be as follows: (a) On the amendment to the amendment; (b) on the amendment, thus perfecting the main question; (c) on the amendment to the substitute; (d) on the substitute; (e) on the main question.

9. Every member shall, when desiring to speak, arise from his seat and respectfully address the President, and shall not be interrupted when speaking unless called to order by the President or by a member of the Conference through the President. By permission of the Conference a member may explain, if he claims to be misrepresented.

10. No member shall speak more than twice on the same question, nor more than fifteen minutes at one time, without leave of the Conference; nor shall any member speak more than once until every member choosing to speak shall have spoken.

11. Every member who is within the bar when a question is put shall vote, unless the Conference excuse him. No member shall be allowed to vote who is not within the bar when the question is put.

12. Whenever a member shall move the "previous question," the Chair shall demand, "Shall the question now be put?" and the vote on such motion shall be taken without debate. If a majority of the members voting sustain the call, the Chair shall put the question then pending without debate, except as provided in Rule 4. See No. 8 (1) and (2).

13. A motion to reconsider may be made on the day of the vote or the next day after (immediately after the reading of the journal) by any member who voted with the majority.

14. On demand of one-fifth of the members of the Conference, a recorded vote by yeas and nays shall be taken.

15. A motion to adjourn made by a member entitled to the floor shall always be in order, and shall be taken without debate.

16. These rules shall not be changed or suspended except by a majority of two-thirds of all the members present and voting.

# CONFERENCE JOURNAL.

## FIRST DAY.

FAYETTEVILLE, TENN., October 22, 1902.

**Opening.**—The Tennessee Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, convened in its eighty-ninth session in the Methodist Church at Fayetteville, Tenn., at 9 A.M., October 22, 1902. Bishop A. W. Wilson presided and conducted the opening religious service, reading the sixth chapter of Galatians, singing Hymn 228, and prayer.

**Roll Call.**—The Secretary of the last Conference called the roll, and 148 preachers and 20 laymen answered to their names.

**Secretaries.**—L. R. Amis was elected Secretary, and G. L. Beale, W. H. Johnston, and W. V. Jarratt were elected Assistant Secretaries.

**Hours.**—The Conference decided to meet at 9 A.M. and adjourn at 12 M. each day.

**The Bar.**—The bar of the Conference was fixed at the space included in the auditorium proper.

**Rules of Order.**—The Rules of Order of the Conference of 1901 were adopted as the Rules of Order for this Conference.

**Standing Committees.**—The presiding elders nominated and the Conference elected the following standing committees:

**PUBLIC WORSHIP.**—W. H. Cotton, G. A. Morgan, John H. Reese.

**BIBLE CAUSE.**—T. L. Moody, J. N. Jones, J. P. Funk, E. W. Brown, A. E. Clement, W. H. Doss, John A. Allison, W. S. Yarbrough, W. A. Turner, R. H. Pickering.

**BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.**—Lewis Powell, Gilby C. Kelly, G. W. Nackles, T. R. Curtis, D. B. Coleman, B. H. Johnson, E. M. Harrell, W. J. Walkup, J. F. Tinnon, T. B. Fisher.

**CHURCH PROPERTY.**—J. M. Wilkerson, Len K. Hart, S. G. Stratton, G. W. Ransom, M. P. Woods, Jasper Anderson, J. A. Pierce, W. J. Powers, L. C. Dillon.

**CONFERENCE RELATIONS.**—H. B. Blue, T. J. Baker, S. C. Baird, Jerome Winford, P. G. Johnson, Joseph Webster, W. J. Collier, J. G. Molloy, R. J. Craig, A. T. Goodloe.

**ADMISSIONS.**—E. B. Chappell, R. H. Hudgens, T. H. Hinson, C. R. Wade, C. S. Gabard, J. W. Cherry, W. J. Stewart, J. J. Stowe, Wood Bouldin, W. H. Beasley.

**DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.**—I. G. Campbell, C. E. Heriges, J. W. Mad-

dux, J. C. Keathley, J. T. Bickley, J. H. Dinning, J. M. Moore, G. L. Hensley, W. F. Pack, E. L. Brewer.

TEMPERANCE.—Charles T. Cole, W. F. Powers, John M. Ogilby, W. H. Gilbert, J. N. Alford, J. M. Thurman, J. D. Massey, C. E. Hawkins, J. W. Gilbert, P. D. Gardner.

THE SABBATH.—W. T. Dye, E. K. Denton, J. C. Roberts, John S. Henley, S. L. Fain, J. F. Beasley, G. S. Byrom, W. A. Stroud, M. W. Charles, R. R. Edmonson.

PUBLICATION OF JOURNAL.—L. R. Amis, W. V. Jarratt, E. H. Welburn.

MEMOIRS.—P. A. Sowell, E. B. Chappell, D. C. Kelley, W. A. Turner, John A. McFerrin.

POSTMASTER.—John T. Redmon.

**Superannuated Preachers' Fund.**—W. F. Tillett was elected the special treasurer of the Superannuated Fund, to act during the session of this Conference.

E. P. Anderson was placed on the Board of Education in place of W. B. Lowry.

**Communications.**—Communications from the Book Agents, the Board of Church Insurance, the Secretary of the Board of Church Extension, the Secretaries of the Board of Missions, and the Secretary of the Board of Education were read and appropriately referred.

**Character.**—Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? The names of D. C. Kelley, J. R. Stewart, W. T. Haggard, A. C. Couey, W. H. Cotton, W. R. Peebles, H. B. Reams, J. A. McFerrin, W. B. Taylor, P. A. Sowell, and J. R. Holmes were called and their characters passed. The names of J. R. Thompson, R. K. Brown, John T. Duncan, A. C. Matthews, and J. F. Bumpus were called, their characters passed, and they were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the supernumerary relation. The names of John R. Reagin, W. H. Riggan, B. J. Gaston, John C. Putman, A. M. Ezell, B. F. Ferrell, G. D. Guinn, H. S. Kennedy, H. S. Lédbetter, H. J. Ivie, E. W. White, J. G. Gibson, M. R. Tucker, J. B. Anderson, John M. Jordan, George W. Anderson, T. B. Marks, Z. W. Moores, N. B. S. Owings, and W. D. Cherry were called, their characters passed, and they were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the superannuated relation.

**Introductions.**—Dr. A. F. Watkins, Agent for the Superannuated Endowment Fund, Dr. C. F. Reid, representing the Board of Missions, and Dr. W. W. Pinson, of the South Georgia Conference, were introduced to the Conference.

**Board of Trustees.**—A communication from the Board of Trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was read and referred to the Joint Board of Finance.

Dr. Watkins then addressed the Conference in the interest of the Endowment Fund for the superannuated preachers, taking a collection.

The Conference then adjourned with the benediction by the Bishop.

## SECOND DAY.

FAYETTEVILLE, TENN., October 23, 1902.

**Opening.**—The Conference met at 9 A.M., Bishop A. W. Wilson presiding. J. M. Jordan conducted the opening service.

The roll of those absent on yesterday was called, and 11 preachers and 11 lay delegates answered to their names.

The journal of Wednesday was read, corrected, and approved.

The roll call was dispensed with for the remainder of the session.

**Communication.**—A communication from the Church Extension Society of the Colored Methodist Episcopal Church was read and referred to the Board of Church Extension; one from the Sunday League of America was referred to the Committee on the Sabbath; and one from the Anti-Saloon League was referred to the Committee on Temperance.

W. R. Peebles read a report from the Joint Commission on the *Midland Methodist*, and it was referred to the Committee on Books and Periodicals.

**Admitted on Trial.**—Question 1. Who are admitted on trial? The following persons, recommended by the District Conferences following their names, having passed an approved examination, and being recommended by the Committee on Admissions, were admitted on trial into the traveling connection: Irvine Turner Cameron, Nashville District Conference; Dow A. Ensor, Lebanon District Conference; George R. Allen, Savannah District Conference.

**Remaining on Trial.**—Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Joseph G. Harper, Thomas H. Gilbert, Felix G. Dickson, Thomas F. Kellum, Jacob A. Chenault, Robert Waite, Allen Miller, Henry Walter Carter, and L. Hosale, having passed approved examinations, their characters were passed, and they were continued on trial.

**Discontinued.**—Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? The character of W. T. Carden was passed, and he was discontinued.

**Traveling Deacons.**—Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? The names of John R. Simpson, Henry W. Wallace, William Skelton Taylor, and David E. Hinkle were called, their characters passed, and, having stood an approved examination, they were elected to deacon's orders.

The character of B. F. Gilbert was passed, and his case will be further disposed of by the Cuban Mission.

The names of L. R. Long and John S. Henley were called, and, having stood an approved examination, their characters were passed, they being already deacons.

**Traveling Elders.**—Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? William Shaw Yarbrough, J. Allison Molloy, John Durrett, and Pleasant D. Freeman, having stood an approved examination, their characters were passed, and they were elected to elder's orders.

James A. Patterson not having been before the committee, his character was passed, and he was continued in the class of the fourth year.



W. H. Williams not having stood an approved examination, his character was passed, and he was continued in the class of the fourth year.

The character of Joseph F. Morelock was passed. The committee reported that he had passed an approved examination, and, having been transferred to the North Texas Conference, on motion of W. F. Tillett, the Secretary of the Conference was instructed to send a certificate of the above fact to the North Texas Conference.

**Bryan Library.**—L. R. Amis made an announcement of the fact that Rev. L. C. Bryan, who died during the year, had left his library to be distributed among the preachers of the Conference. After some discussion, L. R. Amis, J. A. Orman, and J. W. Cherry were appointed to suggest the best way of distributing the gift in accordance with the wishes of the donor.

**Local Deacons.**—Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? The following local preachers, recommended by the District Conferences following their names, were elected to deacon's orders: Thomas Aldred, Sr., Irvine Turner Cameron, Robert Edmond Smith, Willis Duke Weatherford, and Lewis C. Perry, Nashville District; William H. Freeman and John W. Shackford, East Nashville District; Dow A. Ensor, Lebanon District; Morgan R. Dean, Dickson District.

Thomas H. Gilbert and Jacob A. Chenault, having been local preachers three years and traveling preachers one year, were elected to elder's orders.

**Local Elders.**—Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

**Appeal.**—An appeal on a question of law, from the decision of the presiding elder of the Nashville District Conference, was presented, and the Bishop affirmed the presiding elder's decision.

To Bishop A. W. Wilson, presiding.

At the last session of the Nashville District Conference, which met at South Street Church, Nashville, on April 22, 1902, the following question was submitted to the presiding elder, W. R. Peebles, for his ruling:

"To make the permanent record of the Quarterly Conference legal, is it not essential that the presiding elder sign the record book in his own hand?"

Respectfully submitted for a ruling from the chair.

J. D. HAMILTON,  
L. R. AMIS.

Answer: It is, provided the record book is used during the session of the Quarterly Conference; otherwise, the presiding elder would be relying on his memory.

W. R. PEEBLES, P. E.

An appeal was taken from this ruling by the Conference to Bishop A. W. Wilson, President at the Tennessee Conference, for his decision.

H. L. MUNGER, *Secretary*.

Affirmed. A. W. WILSON.

**Character.**—Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? The names of John Mathews, J. B. Erwin, E. B. Chappell, T. L. Moody, Lewis Powell, J. A. Orman, H. L. Munger, F. E. Alford, T. S. Cullom, S. M. Cherry, Sr., H. B. Blue, G. P. Jackson, L. R. Amis, W. M. Green, W. T. Dye, J. T. Blackwood, W. F. Tillett, W. R. Lambuth, Gilby C. Kelly, W. B. Lowry, A. H. Shannon, E. K. Denton, O. P. Hill, C. E. Heriges,

W. L. Jackson, W. T. S. Cook, R. E. Travis, J. N. Jones, J. W. Hanner, R. H. Hudgens, W. F. Powers, W. T. Hart, G. M. Sanders, T. J. Baker, J. D. Barbee, and H. M. Hamill were called, and their characters were passed.

**Dr. Mathews.**—The following communication from John Mathews was read:

NASHVILLE, TENN., October 17, 1902.

To the Bishop and Members of the Tennessee Conference.

*Dear Brethren:* Circumstances and conditions over which I have no control impel me to ask at your hands a supernumerary relation. After a service of over fifty-seven years, it seems best to retire from active service. To reach this conclusion was the severest trial of my life. I submit to what I cannot help. I have been loyal to the Church, and retire with the consciousness that I wrought faithfully for the extension of the empire of our Lord. Southern Methodism has had stronger, brighter, and more useful men, but none more loyal. I began in my teens, and end as I near four score years. My joy now is that I have always labored in the ranks as a common soldier.

In hope of heaven, I am your servant,

JOHN MATHEWS.

The name of John Mathews was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the superannuated relation.

**Resolution.**—The following resolution was adopted:

*Resolved,* That we sincerely regret the absence from this session of our Conference of Dr. John Mathews, who closes at this time the fifty-seventh year of his active work in the itinerant ministry of our Church. We desire to express to our venerated and beloved brother, both as a man and as a minister of the gospel, our kindest and most heartfelt Christian regards, and to put on record our high appreciation of his long, laborious, and fruitful life in the ministry. We feel that the life and labors of one who has illustrated so beautifully for more than a half century the virtues of our holy religion, and has served the Church with such fidelity and success, have proved not only a blessing to our Church in the past, but constitute a rich memory and an abiding legacy for the future. We are devoutly thankful to Almighty God that he has given to our Church and ministry a life of such Christian fidelity and a ministry so long and fruitful; and we beg to assure our brother, now that he retires from active service in the ministry, of our Christian love and our prayers that God will crown the remainder of his life here with continued usefulness and with every spiritual blessing, and give him at length to finish his course with joy and the ministry which he has received from the Lord Jesus.

W. F. TILLET,                      S. M. CHERRY, SR.,  
JOHN A. MCFERRIN,      T. L. MOODY.  
D. C. KELLEY,

**Introduced.**—Dr. C. W. Johnson, of the Presbyterian Church, was introduced.

Dr. C. F. Reid, representing the Board of Missions, addressed the Conference.

The Conference then adjourned with the benediction by A. T. Goodloe.



## THIRD DAY.

FAYETTEVILLE, TENN., October 24, 1902.

**Opening.**—The Conference met at 9 A.M., Bishop Wilson presiding. Opening service was conducted by J. W. Cherry.

The journal of yesterday was read, corrected, and approved.

J. W. Cullom was placed on the Bryan Library Committee in place of James A. Orman.

**Introduced.**—Rev. S. M. Godbey, Assistant Editor of the *Christian Advocate*, Rev. George D. French, Field Agent of the American Bible Society, Dr. J. J. Tigert, Book Editor, and Dr. R. J. Bigham, the Book Agent, were introduced to the Conference.

**Deacons of One Year.**—Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? The names of E. F. Hudgens, E. P. Anderson, James M. Vaden, John T. Redmon, William A. Stroud, George T. Gibbons, and Bruce L. Lyle were called, their characters passed, and, having stood an approved examination, they were advanced to the class of the fourth year. The name of Bian Hensley was called, his character passed, and, not having been before the committee, he was continued in the class of the third year.

The name of R. E. Dickenson was called and his character passed.

**Located.**—Ques. 16. Who are located this year? The character of J. L. Roby was passed, and he was located at his own request.

**Character.**—Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? The names of George L. Beale, John H. Nichols, J. L. Kellum, S. W. Bransford, W. H. Baird, S. M. Cherry, Jr., T. H. Hinson, J. B. Jordan, J. P. Funk, J. L. Smothermon, J. C. Roberts, G. W. Nackles, G. D. Byrne, S. C. Baird, T. A. Kerley, J. K. Lee, H. S. McBride, J. C. Keathley, G. W. Blanton, G. B. McPeak, B. T. Smothermon, Jerome Winford, T. R. Curtis, J. O. Blanton, W. H. Gilbert, W. R. Keathley, W. Weakley, S. M. Keathley, E. W. Brown, C. R. Wade, W. D. Wendell, G. A. Morgan, M. P. Woods, J. W. Hatcher, T. L. Darnell, S. L. Fain, D. B. Coleman, J. W. Rooker, A. E. Clement, B. F. Haynes, J. T. Curry, M. J. Mabry, C. S. Gabard, H. M. Jarvis, A. P. McFerrin, W. H. Doss, A. P. Walker, J. H. Ray, J. M. Oakley, J. W. Cherry, G. E. Eubank, B. H. Johnson, J. S. Rice, T. A. Carden, R. M. Chenault, J. J. Shaw, Joseph Webster, J. R. Goodloe, J. F. Beasley, W. H. Lovell, W. J. Collier, W. V. Jarratt, R. W. Seay, W. J. Stewart, E. M. Harrell, R. R. Jones, J. G. Blackwood, J. D. Massey, John A. Allison, G. S. Byrom, H. B. McNeill, B. F. Isom, J. W. Cullom, W. S. Harwell, J. J. Stowe, Gilbert L. Hensley, J. G. Molloy, W. A. Leath, W. J. Walkup, G. W. Taylor, J. F. Tinnon, R. J. Craig, J. A. Bridges, J. W. Gilbert, W. H. Klyce, J. R. Reeves, I. W. Hickham, Wood Bouldin, M. W. Charles, J. G. Hinson, R. B. Davidson, W. A. Turner, J. R. Harris, J. N. Handlin, M. C. Rowland, T. C. Ragsdale, W. H. Beasley, J. T. Thornton, J. R. Williams, P. D. Gardner, J. W. Hensley, J. L. Chenault,

J. L. Teague, J. J. Ransom, T. W. Noland, W. H. Johnston, J. W. Faires, E. L. Gregory, and A. T. Goodloe were called, and their characters were passed.

The names of M. N. Ford and W. T. Hart were called, their characters passed, and they were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the supernumerary relation.

The names of W. W. Graves and T. H. Woodard were called, their characters passed, and they were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the superannuated relation.

**Deacons of One Year.**—Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? The name of P. G. Johnson was called, his character passed, and, having stood an approved examination, he was advanced to the class of the fourth year.

**Midland Methodist.**—Report No. 1 from the Committee on Books and Periodicals, dealing with the *Midland Methodist*, was read and adopted. (See Supplement.)

**Joint Board of Finance.**—Reports Nos. 1 and 2 from the Joint Board of Finance were read and adopted. (See Supplement.)

Dr. H. M. Hamill addressed the Conference in the interest of the Bible Teachers' Study Circle.

**Education.**—Report No. 1 from the Board of Education was read by W. F. Tillett.

Dr. J. D. Hammond was introduced, and spoke to the report. The report was then adopted. (See Supplement.)

**Church Extension.**—Report No. 1 from the Board of Church Extension was received. (See Supplement.)

The Conference then adjourned with the benediction by Dr. George D. French.

## FOURTH DAY.

FAYETTEVILLE, TENN., October 25, 1902.

**Opening.**—The Conference met at 9 A.M., Bishop Wilson presiding. Religious services were conducted by J. T. Curry.

The journal of Friday was read and approved.

The Committee on Conference Relations reported, answering:

**Supernumerary.**—Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? R. K. Brown, J. T. Duncan, J. R. Thompson, A. C. Matthews, and M. N. Ford.

**Superannuated.**—Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? G. W. Anderson, T. B. Marks, N. B. S. Owings, J. R. Reagin, W. H. Riggan, B. J. Gaston, J. C. Putman, A. M. Ezell, B. F. Ferrell, W. D. Cherry, G. D. Guinn, Z. W. Moores, H. S. Kennedy, H. S. Ledbetter, H. J. Ivie, E. W. White, J. G. Gibson, M. R. Tucker, J. B. Anderson, J. M. Jordan, T. H. Woodward, W. W. Graves, and John Mathews.

**Readmitted.**—Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? Andrew J. Ewing, recommended by the East Nashville District Conference.

The name of G. D. Byrne was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the supernumerary relation.

Leave of absence was granted to Gilby C. Kelly and W. T. Dye.

The following resolution was adopted:

Inasmuch as it would conserve the time and save much labor to both the Secretary and the Treasurer of the various Boards as well as our Statistical Secretary;

*Resolved:* 1. That we respectfully request the presiding elders to use their influence to have the district stewards make the assessments on the various charges in even dollars, if at all practicable, and otherwise in aliquot parts.

2. That the presiding elders be requested to send duplicate assessments as soon as possible to W. V. Jarratt, the Statistical Secretary, so as to enable him to do as much work as possible before the Conference convenes.

G. L. BEALE,

W. H. JOHNSTON.

**Church Property.**—The Committee on Church Property reported, and the report was adopted. (See Supplement.)

**Full Connection.**—Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? John R. Simpson, Henry W. Wallace, Lemuel R. Long, William S. Taylor, and David E. Hinkle, having stood an approved examination, their characters having passed, and having answered the disciplinary questions in open Conference, were admitted into full connection.

On motion of L. R. Amis, the Treasurer of the Joint Board was instructed to pay to the Recording Secretary \$25 for recording the minutes.

W. H. Johnston was elected Recording Secretary.

**Books and Periodicals.**—Report No. 2 from the Committee on Books and Periodicals was read. (See Supplement.)

**Methodist Review.**—Dr. John J. Tigert addressed the Conference in the interest of the *Methodist Review*.

**Midland Methodist.**—Dr. James A. Burrow, editor of the *Midland Methodist*, was introduced, and spoke in the interest of the Conference organ.

**Christian Advocate.**—Dr. G. B. Winton, editor of the *Christian Advocate*, was introduced, and spoke on the work of the General Conference organ.

The report on Books and Periodicals was then adopted.

**Transfers.**—Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? A. M. Trawick, from the Little Rock Conference; S. R. Twitty, from the White River Conference; and George M. Gardner, from the West Texas Conference.

**Temperance.**—The report of the Committee on Temperance was read and adopted.

On motion of H. B. Reams, the Conference decided that when we adjourn we adjourn to meet at 8 A.M. Monday.

**Bible Cause.**—The report of the Committee on Bible Cause was read. Dr. G. D. French, Field Agent, spoke to the report.

The hour of adjournment arrived during the discussion, and, on motion, the

time was extended until this report should be finished. The report was then amended and adopted.

Leave of absence was granted to J. Allison Molloy and J. Taylor Stratton.

After various announcements, the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Bishop Wilson.

## FIFTH DAY.

FAYETTEVILLE, TENN., October 27, 1902.

**Opening.**—The Conference met, according to adjournment, at 8 A.M., Bishop Wilson presiding.

The opening service was conducted by J. G. Gibson.

The journal of Saturday was read and approved.

**Ordinations.**—From report of Bishop A. W. Wilson as to ordinations the following questions were answered:

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? John R. Simpson, David E. Hinkle, William S. Taylor, Henry W. Wallace.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Morgan R. Dean, Jacob A. Chenault, Dow A. Ensor, Irvine Turner Cameron, Thomas H. Gilbert, and Thomas Aldred, Sr.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? William Shaw Yarbrough, John Durrett, Pleasant D. Freeman.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

**Memoirs.**—The Committee on Memoirs reported, through P. A. Sowell, that a suitable memorial service had been held on Sunday night, at which memoirs of the deceased brethren were read, and loving tributes were paid to their memory. The report answered:

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? Lewis C. Bryan, Robert M. Haggard, Robert A. Young, William A. Lusby, and Robert P. Gray. (See Supplement.)

**Statistics.**—Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference? Local preachers, 229; members, 66,800. Total, 67,029.

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 683.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,345.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? Senior, 57; Junior, 31. Total, 88.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Epworth League members? 2,914.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday schools? 566.

Ques. 27. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 3,828.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Sunday school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 36,176.

**Joint Board of Finance.**—The Joint Board of Finance presented reports. They were adopted, answering:

Ques. 29. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$6,930.

Ques. 30. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? From preachers, \$5,951.53; from Board of Trustees of superannuated preachers, \$804.88. Total, \$6,756.41. Applied to claimants.

**Missions.**—Reports from the Conference Board of Missions were read and adopted. They answered (see Supplement):

Ques. 31. What has been contributed for missions? Foreign missions, \$13,-049.63; domestic missions, \$8,393.73.

**Church Extension.**—The report of the Treasurer of the Board of Church Extension was read and adopted. It answered:

Ques. 32. What has been contributed for Church extension? \$3,246.15.

Ques. 33. What has been done for the American Bible Society? Collected, \$246.91.

Ques. 34. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$12,428.62; preachers in charge, \$88,-656.06.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for the support of the bishops? \$1,852.96.

Ques. 36. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 666; houses of worship, 583 $\frac{7}{12}$ .

Ques. 37. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,091,627; indebtedness, \$2,587.

Ques. 38. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 188; parsonages, 124.

Ques. 39. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$136,585; indebtedness, \$995.

Ques. 40. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 10; district parsonages, 4.

Ques. 41. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the indebtedness thereon? Value, \$10,572; indebtedness, \$2,721.70.

Ques. 42. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Number, 4; amount of damage, \$915.

Ques. 43. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance, \$534,600; premiums, \$1,920.83; losses, \$840; collected on losses, \$342.

Ques. 44. What are the educational statistics? See tabulated statement.

**Place of Meeting.** Ques. 45. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Murfreesboro.

**Publication of Journal.**—The report of the Committee on Publication of the Journal was read by the chairman. (See Supplement.)

William Hughes, reserve delegate from Franklin District, was seated in place of W. W. Faw.

**Sabbath.**—The report of the Committee on Sabbath Observance was read by J. C. Roberts, and adopted. (See Supplement.)



**Education.**—Reports from the Board of Education were read by W. F. Tillett and J. A. Bostick, and were adopted. (See Supplement.)

The name of S. L. Fain was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the superannuated relation.

**Epworth League.**—T. C. Ragsdale read a report from the Epworth League Board, and E. B. Chappell discussed the report, after which it was adopted. (See Supplement.)

**Sunday Schools.**—The reports of the Sunday School Board were read by J. W. Irwin and J. T. Curry. They were adopted. (See Supplement.)

On motion, the Joint Board of Finance was instructed to pay to the Secretary \$8.50 for a new Conference journal and statistical blanks.

**Haggard "Watched."**—S. M. Cherry, Jr., on behalf of the preachers of the Lebanon District, presented to W. T. Haggard a handsome gold watch as a token of esteem and affection for their retiring presiding elder. A suitable response was made by the recipient.

**Homeless Children.** The following resolution was adopted:

*Resolved,* That we commend the work being done by Rev. J. M. Jordan for the homeless children of our State; that we welcome him to our fields of labor in the prosecution of this work; and that we commend him and his Christian work to the people of the State.

E. B. CHAPPELL,  
J. J. RANSOM.

The name of W. T. Hart was withdrawn from the Committee on Conference Relations, and he was left effective.

The Committee on Conference Relations reported, answering further:

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? J. F. Bumpus and G. D. Byrne.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? S. L. Fain.

**Boards.**—The following boards were elected for the quadrennium: (See page 3.)

**Thanks.**—James A. Orman took the chair. Resolutions of thanks to the people of Fayetteville for their hospitable entertainment, and to the railroads for reduced fare, were adopted.

**Bryan Library.**—The following resolution was adopted:

*Resolved,* That we appreciate with great tenderness the gift by our sainted brother, Rev. L. C. Bryan, of his library, which has been distributed, according to his will, among the members of this Conference, which he loved so well and of which he was so long an honored member.

L. R. AMIS,  
W. R. PEEBLES.

Bishop Wilson resumed the chair.

**District Conference Records.**—The report of the Committee on District Conference Records was made and adopted. (See Supplement.)

The following resolution was adopted:

*Resolved,* That the earnest thanks of the Tennessee Conference are due, and are hereby tendered, the Committee on Publication of the Journal for the faithful and excellent work done on the illustrated edition of 1901. Their work was done free of charge, and this historic Journal was made possible through their labors.

J. J. RANSOM,  
T. C. RAGSDALE.

The journal of the morning session was read and approved.

The Bishop then called:

Ques. 46. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

After answering this, the Conference adjourned *sine die*, Bishop A. W. Wilson pronouncing the benediction.

### APPOINTMENTS.

#### NASHVILLE DISTRICT.

*J. D. Barbee* (1), *P. E.*

McKendree, E. B. Chappell (1).  
Elm Street, J. B. Erwin (4).  
West End, T. C. Ragsdale (1); R. K. Brown, Sup.  
West Nashville, W. T. Haggard (1).  
Carroll Street, G. L. Beale (1).  
North High Street, J. A. Orman (3).  
Park Avenue, R. R. Jones (1).  
South Street, W. T. Dye (1).  
Woodbine and Thompson, F. E. Alford (4).  
McTyeire Memorial, T. S. Cullom (3).  
Humphreys Street, S. M. Cherry, Sr. (3).  
Blakemore, G. P. Jackson (4), I. T. Cameron (2).  
Waverly Place, H. B. Blue (2).  
Arlington, L. R. Amis (3).  
North Nashville Mission, W. M. Green (3).  
Centenary, J. G. Harper (1).  
Harpeth River, J. R. Harris (1).  
Union Mission, to be supplied by J. A. Jackson (1).  
Vanderbilt University, W. F. Tillett.  
Missionary Secretary, W. R. Lambuth.  
Missionary to Cuba, B. F. Gilbert.

#### EAST NASHVILLE DISTRICT.

*J. R. Stewart* (4), *P. E.*

Tulip Street, Gilby C. Kelly (4).  
McFerrin Memorial, D. C. Kelley (1).  
Alex Erwin, to be supplied by W. J. Morphis.  
East End, R. H. Hudgens (1).  
Hobson Chapel, A. M. Trawick (2).  
Trinity, E. P. Anderson (4).  
Alex Green Circuit, O. P. Hill (2).  
Cumberland Circuit, S. M. Cherry, Jr. (1).  
Goodlettsville Circuit, W. L. Jackson (2).  
White House, W. H. Lovell (1).  
Greenbrier and Baker, W. T. S. Cook (2).  
Fountain Head Mission, H. M. Jarvis (1).  
Gallatin Station, T. B. Fisher (1).  
Sumner Circuit, L. R. Long (2); A. C. Matthews, Sup.  
Saundersville, J. N. Jones (1).  
Bethpage, J. B. Jordan (1).  
Fairfield, A. J. Ewing (1).  
Castalian Springs, G. M. Sanders (2).

Hermitage Circuit, T. J. Baker (3).  
Pleasant Grove Mission, to be supplied by M. L. Blanton.  
Greenville and Martin Mission, W. T. Hart (1).  
Superintendent of Training Department, H. M. Hamill.  
Professor in Millsaps College, A. H. Shannon.  
Student at Vanderbilt, S. R. Twitty.

#### LEBANON DISTRICT.

*W. B. Loxery* (1), *P. E.*

Lebanon Station, W. V. Jarratt (1).  
Lebanon Circuit, T. H. Hinson (1).  
Jacob's Hill Circuit, J. L. Kellum (2).  
Cainsville Mission, S. W. Bransford (3).  
Alexandria and Watertown, B. H. Johnson (1).  
Liberty and Smithville, J. H. Nichols (1).  
Keltonsburg, G. L. Hensley (1).  
Gordonsville, J. C. Roberts (1).  
Mt. Olivet Circuit, J. M. Vaden (1).  
Carthage and Dickson Spring, E. F. Hudgens (1).  
Goose Creek Circuit, J. P. Funk (3).  
Cokesbury Circuit, S. C. Baird (1); M. N. Ford, Sup.  
Granville and Pleasant Grove, J. L. Smothermon (3).  
Dycus Circuit, D. A. Ensor (1).  
Cookeville and Monterey, W. H. Baird (1); G. D. Byrne, Sup.  
Brotherton, to be supplied by Matthew Matheny.  
Gainesboro Mission, J. A. Chenault (1).  
Overton Mission, to be supplied by J. D. Hewgley (1).  
Livingston Mission, G. W. Nackles (1).  
Obed River Mission, to be supplied by Sam Haw.

#### MURFREESBORO DISTRICT.

*A. C. Couey* (4), *P. E.*

Murfreesboro, T. A. Kerley (3).  
Stone's River Circuit, J. C. Keathley (1); J. R. Thompson, Sup.  
Smyrna Circuit, H. S. McBride (2).  
Rockvale Circuit, G. W. Blanton (1).  
Woodbury Mission, G. B. McPeak (1).



Walnut Grove Circuit, J. K. Lee (1).  
 Beech Grove, B. T. Smothermon (2).  
 Wartrace, D. E. Hinkle (1).  
 Shelbyville Station, T. R. Curtis (3).  
 Duck River Mission, J. O. Blanton (4).  
 Manchester and Neel, W. H. Gilbert (2).  
 Hickory Creek Circuit, W. R. Keathley (2).  
 McMinnville Station, W. H. Cotton (1).  
 McMinnville Circuit, S. M. Keathley (4).  
 Caney Fork Mission, Allen Miller (2).  
 Sparta Mission, J. S. Hensley (3); J. T. Duncan, Sup.  
 Sparta and Bon Air, H. B. McNeill (1).  
 Tullahoma and Normandy, C. R. Wade (2).  
 Summitville Mission, to be supplied by J. W. Swann.  
 Mud Creek, to be supplied by J. C. Crocker.

## FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

*W. R. Peebles (1), P. E.*

Fayetteville Station, G. A. Morgan (3); J. F. Bumpus, Sup.  
 Fayetteville Circuit and Liberty Mission, M. P. Woods (3).  
 Blanche Circuit, J. W. Hatcher (2).  
 Medium Circuit, J. T. Blackwood (1).  
 Belfast Circuit, J. H. Ray (1).  
 Cornersville and New Hope, D. B. Coleman (2).  
 Lewisburg and Petersburg, W. S. Taylor (2).  
 Lynchburg and Brandon Mission, P. G. Johnson (2), one to be supplied.  
 Huntland Circuit, J. R. Holmes (1).  
 Marble Plains Circuit, J. W. Rooker (2).  
 Winchester Station, A. E. Clement (2).  
 Hillsboro Mission, P. D. Freeman (3).  
 Monteagle Circuit, H. W. Carter (2).  
 Tracy City and Altamont, T. L. Moody (1).  
 Bellbuckle, J. T. Curry (4).  
 Rich Valley Circuit, M. J. Mabry (3).  
 Unionville Circuit, C. S. Gabard (2).  
 Decherd and Estill Springs, I. W. Hickham (1).

## COLUMBIA DISTRICT.

*J. A. McFerrin (1), P. E.*

Columbia, A. P. McFerrin (4).  
 South Columbia, J. A. Molloy (3).  
 Mt. Pleasant, W. H. Doss (3).  
 Culleoka Circuit, A. P. Walker (4).  
 Bigbyville Circuit, R. M. Chenault (1).  
 Pulaski, J. W. Cherry (4).  
 Lynnville Circuit, G. E. Eubank (2).  
 Big Creek Circuit, W. F. Powers (1).  
 Trinity Circuit, J. S. Rice (2).  
 Prospect and Pleasant Hill, T. H. Gilbert (1).

Bethel Circuit, J. M. Oakley (1).  
 Richland Circuit, G. M. Gardner (1).  
 Pisgah Circuit, T. A. Carden (1).  
 Diana Circuit, Joseph Webster (2).  
 Dellrose and Shiloh, J. R. Goodloe (2).  
 Elkton and Bee Spring, J. F. Beasley (3).  
 Marcella Falls Mission, to be supplied.  
 Conference Missionary Secretary, A. P. McFerrin.  
 President Martin Female College, B. F. Haynes.

## FRANKLIN DISTRICT.

*H. B. Reams (4), P. E.*

Franklin Station, J. W. Hanner (1).  
 Franklin Circuit, T. L. Darnell (1).  
 Williamson Circuit, R. W. Seay (2).  
 Thompson Circuit, W. J. Stewart (2).  
 Spring Hill Station, E. M. Harrell (3).  
 Brentwood Circuit, H. L. Munger (1).  
 Bethesda Circuit, J. G. Blackwood (2).  
 Nolensville Circuit, J. D. Massey (2).  
 Alexander Circuit, Bian Hensley (3).  
 Santa Fé Circuit, J. A. Allison (2).  
 College Grove and Triune, E. W. Brown (1).  
 Chapel Hill and Caney Springs, G. S. Byrom (1).  
 Farmington Circuit, B. F. Isom (3).  
 Wesley Circuit, J. W. Cullom (2).  
 Fernvale, to be supplied by A. Z. Mayes (3).  
 Almarville Mission, W. S. Harwell (2).

## SAVANNAH DISTRICT.

*J. J. Stowe (1), P. E.*

Savannah Station, E. K. Denton (1).  
 Savannah Circuit, Robert Waite (1).  
 Nixon Circuit, W. S. Yarbrough (1).  
 Lowryville Circuit, to be supplied by W. J. Wilson.  
 Waynesboro Circuit, H. W. Wallace (1).  
 Clifton and Duncan, T. F. Kellum (1).  
 Mt. Auburn Circuit, W. H. Williams (2).  
 Linden Circuit, W. A. Stroud (2).  
 Lobelville Circuit, J. R. Simpson (1).  
 Kimmins Mission, G. R. Allen (1).  
 Hohenwald Mission, J. T. Redmon (1).  
 Williamsport Circuit, J. G. Molloy (2).  
 Hampshire and Cross Bridges, W. A. Leath (4).  
 Sandy Hook, to be supplied by W. S. Peach.  
 Napier Mission, to be supplied by A. W. Horton.  
 Ethridge Circuit, Lawrence Hosale (1).  
 Lawrenceburg Station, W. J. Walkup (2).  
 West Point Circuit, G. W. Taylor (2).

## DICKSON DISTRICT.

*W. B. Taylor (3), P. E.*

Dickson Station, J. F. Tinnon (2).  
 Centerville Station, R. J. Craig (2).

Shady Grove Circuit, J. A. Bridges (2).  
 Goodrich Mission, G. T. Gibbons (2).  
 White Bluff Mission, J. W. Gilbert (3).  
 Charlotte Circuit, W. H. Klyce (2), one to be supplied.  
 Yellow Creek Circuit, C. E. Heriges (1).  
 Erin Station, R. E. Travis (1).  
 Houston Circuit, to be supplied by W. R. Wilson (2).  
 Cumberland City, Wood Bouldin (2).  
 Dover Circuit, M. W. Charles (2).  
 Standing Rock Circuit, John Durrett (2).  
 Stewart Circuit, to be supplied by William Martin (1).  
 Hustburg Circuit, J. R. Reeves (1).  
 Liberty Circuit, J. G. Hinson (1).  
 Waverly Station, W. A. Turner (2).  
 McEwen Mission, R. B. Davidson (1).  
 Dickson Mission, J. N. Handlin (3).  
 Bon Aqua Mission, to be supplied by J. E. Harrison (1).  
 Bold Spring, to be supplied by J. R. Coleman.  
 Student at Branham & Hughes School, M. C. Rowland.

## CLARKSVILLE DISTRICT.

*P. A. Sowell* (4), *P. E.*

Clarksville: Madison Street, W. J. Collier (1).

Forest Street Mission, B. L. Lyle (1).  
 Asbury Circuit, W. H. Beasley (2).  
 Antioch Circuit, J. T. Thornton (2).  
 Bethlehem and Hickory Point Mission, J. R. Williams (1).  
 Big Rock Circuit, P. D. Gardner (1).  
 Cedar Hill Circuit, J. W. Hensley (2).  
 Cross Plains Circuit, Jerome Winford (1).  
 Montgomery Circuit, J. L. Teague (3), F. G. Dickson (2).  
 New Providence and Bethel, J. J. Ransom (3).  
 Pleasant View and Mallory's, T. W. Noland (3).  
 Palmyra Mission, J. A. Patterson (1).  
 Red River Circuit, J. L. Chenault (1).  
 Springfield Station, W. Weakley (1).  
 Sadlersville and Adams, W. H. Johnston (4).  
 Southside Circuit, J. W. Faires (3).  
 St. Bethlehem Circuit, E. L. Gregory (3).  
 Ashland City and Clifton, A. T. Goodloe (2).

*Transferred*.—T. R. Clendenin, W. D. Wendel, and J. J. Shaw, to the West Texas Conference; J. F. Morelock, to the North Texas Conference; Lewis Powell, to the Little Rock Conference; R. E. Dickenson, to the Central Mexico Mission Conference.

## DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. Irvine Turner Cameron, Dow A. Ensor, George R. Allen. 3.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Joseph G. Harper, Thomas H. Gilbert, Felix Grundy Dickson, Thomas F. Kellum, Jacob A. Chenault, Robert Waite, Allen Miller, Henry Walter Carter, Lawrence Hosale. 9.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? W. T. Carden, at his own request. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? John R. Simpson, Henry W. Wallace, Lemuel R. Long, William Skelton Taylor, David E. Hinkle, John S. Henley. 6.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? Andrew J. Ewing. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? Arcadius M. Trawick, S. R. Twitty, G. M. Gardner. 3.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year? James A. Patterson, William H. Williams, Patrick G. Johnson, Ellis F. Hudgens, Erwin P. Anderson, James M. Vaden, John T. Redmon, William A. Stroud, George T. Gibbons, Bruce L. Lyle.

Bian Hensley. The last named remains in the class of the third year. 11.

Ques. 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? John R. Simpson, Henry W. Wallace, William Skelton Taylor, David E. Hinkle. 4.

Ques. 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? John R. Simpson, Henry W. Wallace, William Skelton Taylor, David E. Hinkle. 4.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? Thomas Aldred, Sr., Irvine Turner Cameron, Robert Edmond Smith, Willis Duke Weatherford, Lewis C. Perry, William H. Freeman, John W. Shackford, Dow A. Ensor, Morgan R. Dean, Thomas H. Gilbert, Jacob A. Chenault. 11.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Thomas Aldred, Sr., Irvine Turner Cameron, Dow A. Ensor, Morgan R. Dean, Thomas H. Gilbert, Jacob A. Chenault. 6.

Ques. 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? William Shaw Yarbrough, J. Allison Molloy, John Durrett, Pleasant D. Freeman. 4.

Ques. 13. What traveling preachers are

ordained elders? William Shaw Yarbrough, John Durrett, Pleasant D. Freeman. 3.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year? John L. Roby, at his own request. 1.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary? Robert K. Brown, John T. Duncan, John R. Thompson, A. C. Matthews, M. N. Ford, G. D. Byrne, J. F. Bumpus. 7.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated? G. W. Anderson, T. B. Marks, N. B. S. Owings, J. R. Reagin, W. H. Riggan, B. J. Gaston, J. C. Putman, A. M. Ezell, B. F. Ferrell, W. D. Cherry, G. D. Guinn, Z. W. Moores, H. S. Kennedy, H. S. Ledbetter, H. J. Ivie, E. W. White, J. G. Gibson, M. R. Tucker, J. B. Anderson, J. M. Jordan, T. H. Woodward, W. W. Graves, John Mathews, S. L. Fain. 24.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year? Lewis C. Bryan, Robert A. Young, Robert M. Haggard, William A. Lusby, Robert P. Gray. 5.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference? Local preachers, 229; members, 66,800. Total, 67,029.

Ques. 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 683.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,345.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? Senior Leagues, 57; Junior Leagues, 31. Total, 88.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Epworth League members? 2,914.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday schools? 566.

Ques. 27. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 3,828.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Sunday school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 36,176.

Ques. 29. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$6,930.

Ques. 30. What has been collected on the

foregoing account, and how has it been applied? From preachers, \$5,951.53; from Trustees, \$804.88. Total, \$6,756.41. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 31. What has been contributed for missions? Foreign missions, \$13,049.63; domestic missions, \$8,393.73.

Ques. 32. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$3,246.15.

Ques. 33. What has been done for the American Bible Society? Collected, \$246.91.

Ques. 34. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$12,428.62; preachers in charge, \$88,656.06.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for the support of bishops? \$1,852.96.

Ques. 36. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Number of societies, 666; number of houses of worship, 583 7-12.

Ques. 37. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,091,627; indebtedness, \$2,587.

Ques. 38. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 188; number of parsonages, 124.

Ques. 39. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$136,685; indebtedness, \$995.

Ques. 40. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Number of districts, 10; number of district parsonages, 4.

Ques. 41. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$10,572; indebtedness, \$2,721.70.

Ques. 42. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Number of churches damaged, 4; amount of damage, \$915.

Ques. 43. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$534,600; losses sustained, \$840; premiums paid, \$1,920.83; collections on losses, \$342.

Ques. 44. What are the educational statistics? See tabulated statement.

Ques. 45. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Murfreesboro.

Ques. 46. Where are the preachers stationed this year? (See Appointments.)

## SUPPLEMENT—REPORTS ADOPTED.

### I. THE SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD.

All organizations are encouraged in their efforts when they witness an increase of their numbers and an increase of the money invested in their enterprises. These are properly regarded as evidences of a growing interest in the work.

With gratification we report a larger number of Sunday schools and nearly three thousand scholars more than last year. We report an increase in the amount "collected for missions" and in the "total amount raised," and the best showing for Children's Day this Conference has ever presented. Yet there is large room for improvement. We are pleased to report a more general observance of Children's Day than ever before. Few are the charges in each district where Children's Day was not observed. The Franklin District leads in this commendable work, every charge in this district having observed the day. May we not hope that other districts will emulate the example of Franklin District?

A noticeable fact concerning Children's Day is that the country charges, as a general thing, contributed more liberally than the stations. The stations need to wake up.

We commend the Bible Teachers' Study Circle, or system of training teachers, to all our pastors and superintendents.

We believe that the Tennessee Conference was the first Conference to set apart one night of the Annual Conference to be observed as a Sunday school anniversary, and also in adopting the suggestion that Dr. Hamill be recommended for Superintendent of the Teachers' Training Department.

We recommend that, instead of one, four Institutes be held next year and that the times and places for holding them be referred to the Executive Committee of this Board.

We recommend that the Home Department, as an auxiliary and support of the school, have more general recognition on circuits and in stations.

We hope that no pastor will fail to observe Children's Day, remembering that this is the only source of revenue to the Sunday School Board. The Board will furnish gratis Children's Day programmes to all our schools applying for them. Make all applications for aid to Brother Len K. Hart, Secretary of the Board, Nashville. Application blanks may be procured from the Secretary or the Publishing House. All applications for aid should be made upon these blanks.

That there may be a uniform system in reporting the number of Sunday school scholars, we recommend that all who have attended the school during the year, and were enrolled as scholars, should be enumerated, even if they are not members of the school at the close of the Conference year, when the reports are made up. Secular schools, in their annual catalogues, include all pupils whose names have been enrolled during the year.

We recommend that all our schools take a collection every Sunday for the purpose of buying their literature, except that the collection of one Sunday in each month be paid to the preacher in charge as missionary money, which may be credited on his missionary assessment. The Sunday school scholars should be trained to give, so that a generation may be reared which shall consider it a reproach not to contribute to the support of the institutions of the Church. We recommend the distribution in the Sunday school of missionary literature.

We recommend that our schools use our own literature, issued by our Publishing House at Nashville, and that they furnish the *Sunday School Magazine* to each teacher, and endeavor to place one copy of the weekly *Children's Visitor* in each family represented in the school.

The Executive Committee is directed to appoint one delegate and alternate from each presiding elder's district to their District Institute.

Let it not be forgotten that the great object of the Sunday school is to bring the children to Christ and to prepare them to become intelligent and useful members of the Church.

An able and prominent divine recently said in a public address before an Annual Conference: "The Sunday school is the financial backbone of the Church, and, to change the figures, the chief foundation stone of our Publishing House."

We close this quadrennium on the ascending scale in the Sunday school work. Believing that the Sunday school shall largely constitute the future Church, we pray God's blessing upon the work which we have done, and trust that our successors, guided by the Spirit which enlighteneth, shall be enabled to achieve much greater results than have been accomplished in the past.

J. W. IRWIN, *Chairman*;

J. T. CURRY, *Treasurer*;

D. C. SCALES, *Secretary*.

#### TREASURER'S REPORT.

##### *Dr.*

Received from Children's Day collections.....	\$1,108 65
Received payments on libraries.....	30 75
Balance on epenses.....	59 50—\$1,198 90

##### *Cr.*

Paid for literature as per vouchers.....	\$ 579 84
Paid to General Sunday School Board.....	110 95
Paid to General Board of Education.....	234 98
Paid to Conference Board of Education.....	124 03
Expenses for yearbook, institutes, etc.....	150 00— 1,199 80

The districts have contributed as follows:

East Nashville District.....	\$ 214 82	Lebanon District.....	89 39
Franklin District .....	167 10	Nashville District.....	77 71
Clarksville District .....	130 93	Fayetteville District.....	72 51
Dickson District .....	111 16	Savannah District.....	37 97
Columbia District .....	110 02		
Murfreesboro District.....	97 04	Total .....	\$1,108 65

J. T. CURRY, *Treasurer*.

## II. EPWORTH LEAGUE BOARD.

Your Epworth League Board submits its report, as follows:

We have made a careful study of the operations of the Epworth League in our Conference, and find, upon the whole, that the work has been greatly strengthened, that the character of work being done is more practical and substantial, and that the Church is being greatly aided in many ways by this organization. The number of Chapters remains about the same, with possibly an increase in Junior Leagues.

We would therefore urge every pastor to consider the organization of a League, if at all practical, and would remind him that the time is fast coming, in our judgment, when we must provide this society for our young people or give a great many of them over to Churches which do.

In this connection we would repeat what we said a year ago: that the number need not be large in the beginning. In fact, it is better to begin with a small League and build to it. Also that Junior Leagues can often be organized where Senior Leagues are impossible. Brother R. J. Craig has aided many of the brethren in organizing and strengthening the Junior League, and will continue to do so as far as his time will permit.



Our Annual League Conference in June, though disappointing in attendance, was nevertheless very helpful, and was an encouraging object lesson in League progress. The zeal, enthusiasm, and good common sense with which our young people discussed the living issues of the Church's work were both instructive and inspiring, and furnished a ready proof of the devotion of our young Leaguers to the interests of the Church. In this connection we earnestly ask the aid of all the presiding elders and pastors in making our next Annual League Conference, at Gallatin, a success. We ask your aid in any suggestions as to programme, and also in seeing that each charge is represented.

We respectfully ask that you confirm the election of the following Annual League Conference officers: W. H. Fitzgerald, President; T. C. Ragsdale, First Vice President; Mrs. Alice Macaulay Rayburn, Second Vice President; Seth Roth, Third Vice President; I. G. Campbell, Secretary; H. P. Pickering, Treasurer; R. J. Craig, Junior Superintendent.

We also respectfully and earnestly ask that each presiding elder arrange for a District League Conference, if he deems it at all practicable, in connection with his regular District Conference, or separately, as he sees fit.

We reaffirm and stress the importance of every League and Leaguer maintaining the utmost loyalty to all the officials of the Church, both in their work and worship.

We would remind the local Chapters to send in the ten-cent assessment to the general office; also to instruct their Treasurers to pay the per capita amount required for the Annual League Conference expenses to the Conference Treasurer.

We commend the Reading Course to your attention, and hope it may have a wide circulation.

We commend to the Junior Leagues Moody's "Bible Questions" as a most helpful adjunct to their work.

Finally, we would give our hearty indorsement to the *Epworth Era*. We rejoice in the excellent paper being given us by the editor, Dr. H. M. Du Bose. We advise that every Chapter appoint an agent to increase its circulation, and would call attention to the fact that the special Missionary Reading Course now being conducted in the *Era* is well worth the price of the paper.

J. J. STOWE, *Chairman*;  
T. C. RAGSDALE, *Secretary*.

### III. BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

#### THE MIDLAND METHODIST.

The committee to which the report of the Commission on the *Midland Methodist* was referred, having considered the same, submits the following:

The announcement therein contained—namely, that the Commission has secured the undivided services of the editor, Rev. James A. Burrow, D.D., and that the publisher, O. W. Patton, will provide ampler space for the use of the editor and contributors—is received with unfeigned satisfaction, and begets confidence that the organ will be improved to the point of answering the needs of the situation. In appreciation of the above announcement of generous provision for the mechanical and editorial work, be it

*Resolved:* 1. That we congratulate the Joint Commission on the favorable results of their negotiations with the editor and publisher.

2. That, mindful of our increased obligations as pastors and representative laymen, we pledge ourselves to a more hearty and practical coöperation in extending the circulation.

3. That the notice of presiding elders and preachers in charge is hereby called to Question 18 in the proceedings of the Quarterly Conference, as prescribed by the last General Conference—namely, "How many copies of the Conference organ and of the general organ are taken, and what has been done to increase their circulation?"

4. Realizing the advantages that would come to the paper and the cause which it serves

from a union of the three Conferences in Tennessee, we hereby affectionately invite the Memphis Conference to join in making the *Midland Methodist* our tri-Conference organ, sharing with her sister Conferences the responsibility of its management and the advantages of its circulation.

5. That we respectfully petition the presiding bishop to appoint W. R. Peebles, J. T. Curry, and J. L. Parkes members of the Joint Commission of the *Midland Methodist*.

6. That we hereby record our high estimate of the value of the services that have been rendered by the retiring editor, Rev. William M. Green.

#### THE PUBLISHING HOUSE.

The committee remarks with gratitude the evidences of the continued prosperity of the Publishing House. The increase of the sales over last year, per exhibit of the Book Agents, is \$20,582.90; the net gain of assets, \$30,799.69.

We hail with delight the tokens of a growing spirit of authorship in our Church. We apprehend that not the least of the aims of our Book Agents is to give all proper encouragement to men and women among us who possess the gifts of ready writers. Among the more recent books printed by the House, we mention "The Way of the Preacher," by Kern; "Upper Room Meditations," by Fitzgerald; "Personal Salvation," by Tillett; and the new Discipline.

#### THE CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE.

The *Christian Advocate* keeps the high level of editorial wisdom, literary excellence, and devotional value that has long prevailed in its columns. It is not only the organ of the official mind and connectional news, but a family paper of sparkling interest. We lament that the subscription list is not larger. We deplore the fact that it is no more than fourteen thousand. A number of periodicals published in the North and East that have no special constituency have hundreds of thousands of subscribers. It should be our definite and persistent effort to gain for the *Christian Advocate* as many subscribers as there are families in our connection.

The merits and claims of the other periodicals that are usually considered by this committee—namely, the *Methodist Review*, *Review of Missions*, *Go Forward*, *Woman's Missionary Advocate*, *Our Homes*, the different forms of Sunday school literature, the *Epworth Era*—are so comprehensively set forth in the admirable report of last year's Committee on Books and Periodicals that the present committee refers to the same, and makes so much thereof as refers to these periodicals a part of this report.

#### THE METHODIST REVIEW.

This periodical is very ably edited by Dr. Tigert. Its various departments are all of a high order. A fine class of contributors write for its pages, discussing live and progressive subjects, in addition to the work done by the editor. If we were to suggest any criticism, it would be that not enough space is given by the editor to reviewing new books the reading of which might be helpful to our preachers.

We are sorry to note that the *Review* comes a little short of being self-sustaining. This ought not to be, and *will* not be if all our preachers will subscribe and do what they can to get intelligent laymen to subscribe.

#### REVIEW OF MISSIONS.

Your committee cannot indorse too strongly the *Review of Missions*, nor urge too strenuously that our preachers take it and circulate it as far as possible among our people. Live missionary information, fresh from the field, and a continued but ever-new discussion of the basic principles of our obligation to carry out the Master's great command to "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature," is what we need to have kept constantly before us. This the *Review of Missions* does. It is a remarkably



cheap monthly, containing sixty-four pages, and costs only fifty cents a year. With the *Review of Missions* in every pastor's and local preacher's hands, and the new paper, *Go Forward*, in all our hands, the question of raising our assessments in full will be no longer a question, but a fact.

#### WOMAN'S MISSIONARY ADVOCATE AND OUR HOMES.

These papers, so ably edited by our sisters, the former by Mrs. F. A. Butler, the latter by Miss Helm, we are glad to commend as fulfilling well the special needs for which they were inaugurated. They well merit a much wider circulation than they have. The papers and the interests they represent ought to be welcomed by us as pastors, for they will be helpful to us in our charges. We shall be glad, however, if our sisters can get their work so organized that one society and one paper will do the work of both.

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL LITERATURE.

We cannot speak too highly of our Sunday school periodicals. No Methodist Sunday school should think of superseding our literature with that from any other house whatever.

The *Sunday School Magazine* should be in the hands of every teacher. It is a marvel of cheapness, but not like most cheap things—worth about what they cost. It has long been good; it is constantly growing better.

The *Children's Visitor* deserves a special word. It is not merely a child's paper, but it is full of interest to children of larger growth. May it get the circulation it deserves!

#### THE EPWORTH ERA.

The *Era* is not an "error," as some one has facetiously remarked. Its versatile editor has made its pages sparkle with interest. It is a clean paper of high order, and well adapted to the needs of our young people. We are sorry it has never proved self-sustaining. This, however, is no fault of the *Era* or its editor. May we not express the hope that the *Era* and the *Children's Visitor* may be united, so as no longer to be rivals for the same support? Our young people cannot be induced to properly support both papers.

Your committee has learned with pleasure of the favor in which the catechism of Rev. T. L. Moody, a member of this Conference, has been received. It is an admirable textbook for the use of parents and pastors in giving religious instruction to the young. A Junior Epworth League edition has been proposed. We recommend the same to those charged with the conduct of Junior Leagues.

LEWIS POWELL, *Chairman*;

GILBY C. KELLY, *Secretary*.

#### IV. BIBLE CAUSE.

Believing as we do that the "Word of God is the only and sufficient rule of human faith and ethics," and that the American Bible Society, in all American work at home and abroad, is the very best means of circulating it, we are glad to note the following facts:

During the year ending March 31, 1902, that Society issued from its presses one million, seven hundred and twenty-three thousand, seven hundred and ninety-one copies and portions of the Word of God in more than one hundred tongues. It collected and expended from all sources \$433,173.99. This makes a goodly increase in the issue of books and in monetary collections. And yet, strange as it may seem, the Society is pressed for money as perhaps never before. Why this pressure? This is preëminently the missionary age of Protestant Christianity. The Churches have written on their banners: "Christ for the world, and the world for Christ." They are compassing all lands, and constantly acquiring new languages and dialects. That it may continue to be pioneer in mission work, it must

expend larger money in printing the Word of God in these new tongues and circulating them among the people. In the Philippine Islands alone, under our own flag, there are fifty languages into which the Word of God must be put and the books scattered among the inhabitants. The Society has also a special agent among the colored people of the South, whose object is to see that no cabin home is without a copy of the Holy Scriptures.

So far the Tennessee Conference has reported as paid through its Conference Treasurer to this great cause only \$191.64. Are we doing our duty to it? We fear the Master will not say: "Well done."

In view of these facts, we offer the following resolutions:

*Resolved:* 1. That we learn with pleasure from Rev. George D. French, D.D., Field Agent of the American Bible Society, the enlarged liberality of the friends of the Society and the goodly increase in the issue of Bibles.

2. That, in view of the urgent need of money by the Society, we pledge ourselves to see that a liberal collection is taken for the Bible cause in each of our congregations.

R. H. PICKERING, *Chairman*;

A. E. CLEMENT, *Secretary*.

## V. EDUCATION.

### REPORT NO. I.—CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOL.

The General Conference which met at Dallas, Tex., in May last instructed the General Board of Education to establish at Nashville, in connection with the Biblical Department of Vanderbilt University, and under the direction of its faculty, a Correspondence School for the guidance of all young ministers of our Church in prosecuting the courses of study prescribed by the bishops for candidates for admission and undergraduates, and for such as, having finished the prescribed studies, desire to carry on a further course of systematic reading and study. While the work of this Correspondence School was recommended by the General Conference to the Annual Conferences and to the young ministers of the Church at large, it was not made obligatory either upon the young ministers to prosecute it or upon the Annual Conferences to accept it. The following is the language of the General Conference touching this point: "The Secretary of the Correspondence School shall issue a certificate to every one who prosecutes under the direction of the School the study of any book embraced in the course of study and passes a satisfactory written examination on the same. He shall send this certificate, along with the questions and examination papers, to the Chairman of the Annual Conference Committee having charge of the candidate or undergraduate concerned. The Conference Committee may then, if the Conference sees fit, accept this certificate in lieu of examinations held by themselves. But if the committee is not satisfied with the examination paper submitted, it may subject the candidate to a second and further examination."

The Board of Education recommends that this Conference grant to all its Examining Committees the privilege of recognizing and crediting on the various courses of study the work of the Correspondence School so far as they may be satisfied with the examination papers submitted to them.

There was also a memorial before the General Conference from the Board of Education, which was recommended by the College of Bishops in their annual address—viz., "That when any college or university in our Church, approved by the General Board of Education, shall incorporate into its curriculum any book in the Conference Course of Study, the official certificate of such institution, stating that any candidate for the ministry has studied and passed a satisfactory examination upon any book in the Conference Course, shall relieve him from any further examination before a Conference committee on that book." This memorial was adopted by the General Conference, with one modification—

viz., that each Annual Conference should determine for itself whether or not it recognize work done by our colleges and universities.

We recommend that this Conference authorize its Examining Committees to recognize and accept all work done in accordance with this provision of the General Conference.

#### REPORT NO. 2.—TWENTIETH CENTURY FUND.

We present herewith the report of Dr. Tillett, Secretary and Treasurer of the Twentieth Century Fund:

I have received during the year the following amounts:

Nashville District.....	\$ 7,094 75	Franklin District.....	\$ 28 05
East Nashville District.....	2,138 90	Savannah District.....	50 00
Lebanon District.....	58 50	Dickson District.....	3 00
Murfreesboro District.....	344 60	Clarksville District.....	185 87
Fayetteville District.....	130 00		
Columbia District.....	119 00	Total .....	\$10,152 67

Most of this amount has been specially directed by the donors. Five thousand dollars was given by Mrs. E. W. Cole to the endowment fund of the Cole Lectureship in Vanderbilt University. About fourteen hundred dollars has been given by members of the faculty of Vanderbilt University and former students of that institution who are members of this Conference to the endowment fund of what is known as the Students' Chair of Biblical Theology and English Exegesis. About two thousand dollars has been contributed by friends of Vanderbilt University, and these mainly residents of the city of Nashville, to the general endowment fund of the Biblical Department. These items bring the amount contributed to Vanderbilt University up to \$8,433.27. One subscription of a thousand dollars has been paid by the donor, but he reserved the right to direct it, and it is now held subject to his wishes. One hundred and eight dollars and five cents has been specially directed to institutions under the various Mission Boards of the Church. Five dollars was directed by the donor to the Woman's Dormitory at Vanderbilt. My expenses for the year have been nineteen dollars and forty-three cents (\$19.43). Adding all these various items together, they amount to \$9,565.75, which, deducted from the total receipts, leaves the sum of \$586.92 as the amount in hand which was not specially directed by the donors. One-fifth of this sum, or \$117.38, goes, by direction of the General Conference, to the Biblical Department of Vanderbilt University. This leaves \$469.54 in hand for the Woman's Dormitory, to which should be added the five dollars specially directed to that building, making \$474.54. Something over four thousand dollars, it will be remembered, was reported at the last Conference as in the treasury for this dormitory. That sum was invested, by direction of the Board of Education, and has yielded an interest of about \$270. Putting all these items together, we have now in the treasury for the Woman's Dormitory the sum of \$5,000.54. The Board has again instructed the Treasurer to invest this amount in such manner as may meet with the approval of the Executive Committee of the Board.

W. F. TILLET, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

#### SUMMER INSTITUTE.

The fourth session of the Summer Institute for Young Preachers was held at Vanderbilt University during the last ten days of June. The attendance, both on the part of the members of this Conference and members of some half-dozen other Conferences, was very gratifying, reaching about one hundred and fifty. About one hundred members of this Conference were present at some or all of the exercises of the Institute. The sessions of the Institute are proving a real help to all who attend. Especially is this true of all the undergraduates and other young ministers taking the postgraduate course of study. We would again urge our presiding elders to leave the last ten days in June free from Quarterly Conferences and other appointments that would prevent the attendance of the undergraduates and young ministers generally upon the sessions of the Institute.

#### EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS.

The school at Monterey has been maintained during the past year at an expenditure by this Board of about \$150. We regret to say that our experience with this enterprise leaves the Board in doubt as to the propriety of continuing longer the help heretofore

given. But as no change in policy ought to be made without most careful consideration, the Board has instructed the Executive Committee to make all necessary investigations and recommend definite action at our next meeting.

Written reports were before us from Soule College (Miss Wardlaw, President) and Martin College (B. F. Haynes, President). The first-named institution has enrolled more students than ever before in its history. Among these are twelve ministers' daughters, who are reported to be girls of earnest purpose and strong character. President Haynes entered on his work at Martin College late in the summer, but reports success in his work far beyond all expectations. More than fifty boarding pupils and double that number of pupils of all classes are in attendance.

Other schools under the patronage of the Conference have entered on a year of unusual prosperity. The Webb School is, as usual, full to its limit. The Mooney School has been moved to Murfreesboro, where a new and handsome building has been provided for its growing attendance. Howard Institute, Mt. Pleasant, Tenn., maintains its well-established reputation for fostering scholarship and strong Christian character among its students. The Morgan and Peoples School, at Fayetteville, and the Branham and Hughes School, at Spring Hill, also belong to this same high grade of training schools that do most thorough and satisfactory work. The Tennessee Conference is to be congratulated on having within its bounds a number of the very best training schools that exist in all the South. This is due largely to the influence of Vanderbilt University. We are pleased to report this our leading institution as being in a prosperous condition. The attendance shows an improvement over last year, the Biblical Department sharing largely in this gain. The Correspondence School established by the General Conference under the direction of the General Board of Education will bring an increasing number of our young preachers into vital and helpful relation with the university.

We deplore the fact that the proposition of Mr. Cupples has not met with a more ready and more generous response. We still lack about forty thousand dollars of having raised the amount named by him in his proposition.

The usual statistical table, which answers the questions of our minutes, is given herewith.

STATISTICAL TABLE.  
EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS OF THE M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.

INSTITUTION.	LOCATION.	Date of Charter.	Year of First Opening.	Value of Grounds and Buildings.	Total Endowment.	Productive Endowment.	Amount of Debts.	Professors and Teachers.	STUDENTS LAST YEAR.							Total Income Last Year.
									COLLEGIATE.			Subcollegiate & Others.	TOTAL STUDENTS.			
									Male.	Female.	Total Collegiate.		Male.	Female.	Grand Total.	
I. COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES.																
Vanderbilt University.....	Nashville.....	1872	1875	\$775,000	\$1,250,000	\$1,250,000	.....	90	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	777	\$130,000	
Soule Female College.....	Murfreesboro	1852	1852	15,000	None	None	None	12	25	155	.....	.....	.....	180	.....	
Martin Female College.....	Pulaski.....	1870	1870	100,000	.....	.....	\$23000	10	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	103	.....	
II. ACADEMIES AND SEMINARIES.																
Monterey Training School .....	Monterey.....	.....	.....	2,000	.....	.....	.....	5	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	124	.....	
The Mooney School .....	Murfreesboro	.....	.....	10,000	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	193	.....	
Howard Institute.....	Mt. Pleasant.	1890	1891	10,500	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	121	85	206	.....	

TREASURER'S REPORT.

The entire amount received for educational purposes in the bounds of the Tennessee Conference for the year 1900-01 was \$2,789.57.

The Board of Education made the following appropriations:

I.

	Appropriated.	Paid.
Daughter of Rev. S. W. Bransford, Soule College.....	\$ 100 00	\$ 100 00
Daughter of Rev. G. D. Byrne, Soule College.....	100 00	100 00
Daughter of Rev. J. H. Nichols, Soule College.....	100 00	100 00
Daughter of Rev. J. W. Hatcher, Soule College.....	100 00	100 00
Daughter of Rev. W. H. Gilbert, Soule College.....	50 00	50 00
Daughter of Rev. J. W. Hensley, Soule College.....	50 00	50 00
Daughter of Rev. W. A. Leath, Howard Institute.....	100 00	100 00
Daughter of Rev. A. M. Ezell, Martin College.....	100 00	100 00
Daughter of Rev. J. M. Oakley, Martin College.....	100 00	100 00
Daughter of Rev. W. A. Lusby, Martin College.....	60 00	60 00
Daughter of Rev. T. A. Carden, Martin College.....	50 00	50 00
Daughter of Rev. G. W. Blanton, Ward's.....	100 00	100 00
Daughter of Rev. M. W. Charles, Dover.....	50 00	50 00
	<u>\$1,060 00</u>	<u>\$1,060 00</u>

LOANS TO YOUNG PREACHERS.

Edgar Bond .....	\$ 60 00	\$ 60 00
Raymond Browning.....	50	50 00
	<u>\$110 00</u>	<u>\$110 00</u>

II.

MONTEREY SCHOOL.

For the school.....	\$300 00	.....
J. F. Morelock.....		\$ 50 00
Miss Nola Byrne.....		100 00
	<u>\$300 00</u>	<u>\$150 00</u>

GENERAL BOARD OF EDUCATION.

J. D. Hammond, Secretary.....	\$369 97	\$369 97
Paine and Lane Institutes.....	400 00	400 00
	<u>\$769 97</u>	<u>\$769 97</u>

Amount received from Conference collections.....	\$2,296 97	
From Sunday School Board.....	37 53	
Balance from 1900-01.....	455 07	\$2,789 57
Amount expended 1901-02.....		<u>2,089 97</u>

Amount unused 1901-02.....		\$ 699 60
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The following amounts were assessed for education by the last General Conference for the year 1901-02:

For General Board of Education.....	\$ 640 00
For Paine and Lane Institutes.....	700 00
For Tennessee Conference Educational Fund.....	<u>2,660 00</u>
	<u>\$4,000 00</u>

III.

Receipts on the foregoing account for the districts are as follows:

	Assessed.	Paid.		Assessed.	Paid.
Nashville District.....	\$ 680 00	\$ 557 59	Franklin District.....	\$ 360 00	\$ 287 07
East Nashville District.	520 00	380 18	Savannah District.....	160 00	100 65
Lebanon District.....	280 00	158 40	Dickson District.....	240 00	194 35
Murfreesboro District..	440 00	172 10	Clarksville District....	480 00	316 17
Fayetteville District....	400 00	148 15			
Columbia District.....	440 00	328 06	Total .....	<u>\$4,000 00</u>	<u>\$2,642 72</u>



## Total amount received for 1901-02:

From Conference collections.....	\$2,642 72
From Sunday School Board.....	124 03
Balance unused for 1901-02.....	699 60

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 \$3,466 35

J. H. KIRKLAND, *Chairman*;  
 D. C. KELLEY, *Secretary*.  
 J. A. BOSTICK, *Treasurer*.

**VI. TEMPERANCE.**

The well-organized fight that is being waged against intemperance by the State Anti-Saloon League, and the growing sentiment, both in Church and State, against this evil, is a cause for much congratulation amongst all Christian people. May the good fight go on with renewed vigor until the saloon shall be finally driven out of all our cities and towns and intemperance shall cease to threaten the peace and tranquillity of our homes.

A circular letter from the American Anti-Saloon League, asking this Conference to appoint two delegates to attend the meeting of the seventh National Anti-Saloon Convention at Washington, D. C., December 9-11, 1902, was before your committee; and, in accordance with this request, we suggest that this Conference appoint two delegates to attend said National Anti-Saloon League Convention; and inasmuch as the Tennessee Conference League has appointed Revs. Lewis Powell and Thomas C. Ragsdale to represent it in this same convention, that this Conference also name these same two brethren as its representatives to said convention. Furthermore, be it

*Resolved:* 1. That the Tennessee Conference expresses its cordial sympathy and moral support in the work now being done by both the National and State Anti-Saloon Leagues, as well as for the members of our State Legislature, who have fought and are still fighting in the cause of temperance.

2. That no candidate for a place in the lawmaking bodies of our country shall receive the support of our people before he shall have unequivocally declared his opposition to the legalizing of the liquor traffic and his favor of the further extension of the local option law as far as practicable.

3. That this Conference hereby reaffirms its every former utterance on the liquor traffic as adopted heretofore at the various Conferences during the past decade in the interest of temperance, and renews its pledges to keep up an unrelenting warfare against intemperance, until this evil shall be driven from our land.

CHARLES T. COLE, *Chairman*;  
 W. F. POWERS, *Secretary*.

**VII. SABBATH OBSERVANCE.**

In the present age, which is said to be transitional in a religious sense, and may be said to be an age of doubt also in the spirit of the age or of the world, to say the least, the drift or tendency of worldly thought is to disregard or ignore the holy Sabbath as instituted by the almighty and all-wise God to be observed by man as a day of rest from the secular or ordinary occupations engaged in during the week.

The Bible, we understand, emphatically teaches that one day in every seven has been instituted and set apart by God to be observed by man as a day sacred to God's honor and glory and essential to the preservation and physical, mental, and spiritual development of man as a moral and accountable being to God as Creator and Redeemer.

Without entering into elaborate arguments or detail relative to the institution of the Sabbath, we would observe by way of general statement that God taught man or us to observe it by example when he rested from his creative work at the end of six days,

resting on the seventh day. He also taught its observance by legal enactment in the fourth commandment of the Decalogue. The Jews so understood and observed it. Jesus Christ did not ignore nor desecrate nor break the Sabbath. He affirmed that he was Lord of the Sabbath, and uttered the design of its institution. "The sabbath day was made for man, and not man for the sabbath"—that it is lawful for man to do good on the Sabbath day. It follows, then, that we, as objects of his creation and subjects of his redemption, should observe the time or use the day doing works of mercy and charity in following the example and precepts of our Lord, and abstain from all unnecessary work, games, or diversions that cannot be used in the name and have not the sanction of the Lord Jesus Christ.

*Resolved:* 1. That we as a Church and body of Christian people, in the recognition of God's supreme authority in the institution of the Christian Sabbath as binding and obligatory upon us, will observe it to the honor and glory of God, and thus obtain the end for which it was designed in our behalf—that eternal day which this day types, that heavenly rest which this day symbolizes, that full and perfect rest of which this day's rest is the earnest.

2. That we oppose by example and precept any tendency to disregard, ignore, or desecrate this sacred day, and hold on to and uphold the observance of the Christian Sabbath as one of the strongholds and safeguards of our Christian civilization and heritage transmitted to us by our fathers, who have rendered England and America conspicuous and preëminent among the nations of the earth.

3. That the pastors throughout the various charges in the bounds of the Conference be requested, if practicable, to coöperate with the Sunday League of America in observing the twenty-fourth annual Lord's Day Week, April 6-13; and each pastor be requested to preach on this subject during that week, or at least once during the year, and each Church and young people's society be requested to devote at least one meeting to its prayerful consideration, seeking three definite results: (1) A higher standard of Sabbath-keeping among Christians; (2) relief of as many as possible from Sunday toil; (3) preventing Sunday amusements, especially Sunday excursions, games, and visiting; and for the securement of these aims scatter leaflets and disseminate the literature of said League to accomplish these designs.

W. T. DYE, *Chairman*;

E. K. DENTON, *Secretary*.

### VIII. CHURCH PROPERTY.

Your Committee on Church Property would state that from the reports of the presiding elders and pastors it appears that the property of the Church is increasing in value, and that there is a marked increase in the number of parsonages and new church buildings, and that there is a disposition to keep the same in good repair.

It appears that the amount of insurance carried is small in comparison to the value of the property. This, in our opinion, is a most important matter, and that it is the duty of the trustees of Church property to see that an amount of insurance be carried, if not sufficient to replace buildings in case of loss, to at least carry enough to form a nucleus for a building fund.

With reference to the communication of Messrs. Kirkland and Barclay in regard to insurance in the National Mutual Church Insurance Company, of Chicago, we would say that we are not in possession of enough information with regard to the company to make a recommendation as to this particular company; but, as it appears to be purely a mutual affair, and as this class of insurance has not met with any degree of success, especially when applied to fire losses, your committee does not feel that it can recommend it to this body for acceptance.

J. M. WILKERSON, *Chairman*;

JASPER ANDERSON, *Secretary*.

## IX. DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

We, your committee appointed to examine the District Conference records, respectfully submit the following report:

**Nashville District.**—The record of this district is well kept, showing excellent penmanship and convenient marginal references. A few slips occur, such as "several" for "general." The caption is repeated at the top of each page, which your committee think unnecessary.

**East Nashville District.**—This record has been neatly kept and gotten up in good form. The only criticism the committee think proper to make is a few misspelled words and the name of the President of the Conference was not signed to the minutes until the record book went into the hands of the committee and attention was called to the fact by the committee.

**Lebanon District.**—This is a concise and correct record, with the exception that it is especially deficient in punctuation, the dotting of i's and crossing of t's.

**Murfreesboro District.**—This record is well kept, except that the caption of the first and second days should be more conspicuous, so as to be more easily found. The Secretary should sign the President's name, as well as his own, and not say: "President, per Secretary."

**Fayetteville District.**—This record is well kept, concise, and legibly written; but the caption does not state what Conference is holding its session, and the punctuation is somewhat deficient.

**Franklin District.**—This record is neatly kept, and the handwriting is plain, legible, and very correct throughout; also the minutes are properly signed by the presiding elder.

**Columbia District.**—This is a good record, with the exception that it fails to record the election of a Secretary and is somewhat defaced by pencil mark erasures.

**Dickson District.**—This record is very creditably kept. The caption should read, "Journal of the Ninth Session of the Dickson District Conference," instead of "Journal of the Ninth Dickson District Conference."

**Savannah District.**—This record was not submitted to the Conference.

**Clarksville District.**—In this record the general caption appears at the top of every page, which, in the opinion of your committee, is unnecessary. Otherwise, it is a magnificent record, nicely written, and arranged with most convenient marginal references, and it is almost a model.

I. G. CAMPBELL, *Chairman*;

J. H. DENNING, *Secretary*.

## X. CHURCH EXTENSION.

We have made the following appropriations:

	Value of Church.	Appropriated.
Wartrace, Bedford County, Murfreesboro District....	\$ 3,500 00	\$ 150 00
Center Grove, Giles County, Columbia District.....	700 00	175 00
Lassiter Memorial, Wilson County, Lebanon District..	1,531 00	200 00
Ft. Donelson Memorial, Stewart County, Dickson Dist.	1,600 00	100 00
Union, Dickson County, Dickson District.....	802 50	100 00
Water Valley, Humphreys County, Dickson District..	552 00	50 00
Corinth, Jackson County, Lebanon District.....	800 00	25 00
White House, Robertson County, East Nashville Dist.	1,200 00	200 00
Smyrna, Rutherford County, Murfreesboro District...	3,000 00	100 00
Meadow Brook, Montgomery County, Clarksville Dist.	500 00	100 00
Hopewell, Stewart County, Clarksville District.....	800 00	115 00
Latimer, Dickson County, Dickson District.....	1,000 00	200 00
Ragsdale, Murfreesboro District.....	500 00	75 00
	<hr/> \$15,655 50	<hr/> \$1,490 00

The appropriation of \$250 made last year to Lobelville, Perry County, Savannah District, with conditions not having been complied with, and appropriation not paid, this sum was reapportioned to the same Church.

The appropriations made to White House and Meadow Brook were granted on condition that the Treasurer be furnished with the county register's certificate of registration of deed before the money is paid.

The appropriation made to Latimer Church was made on condition that the Treasurer be furnished with county register's certificate of deed, and that all debts are paid and the house furnished before the appropriation is paid.

The appropriation to Fort Donelson Memorial and Lassiter Memorial is made on condition that all debts be paid and evidence of same be furnished the Treasurer before the appropriation is available.

We have heard with interest and concern the informal request of Dr. James A. Orman of the needs of North Nashville, and we are not indifferent to the situation. But as the request is a large one and our assets are small, we are made to pause before it. And again, as the money is asked before anything has been really collected, and also to purchase the real estate upon which the house is to be built, and further considerable time must elapse before the church could possibly be built, and as these last circumstances and conditions are at variance with our customs, we are forced to decline with regret.

The Conference has been assessed for Church extension for 1902-03 \$5,455, which has been distributed as follows:

Nashville District.....	\$ 927 00	Columbia District .....	\$ 600 00
East Nashville District.....	709 00	Savannah District .....	219 00
Lebanon District .....	382 00	Dickson District .....	327 00
Murfreesboro District .....	600 00	Clarksville District .....	054 00
Fayetteville District .....	546 00		
Franklin District .....	491 00	Total.....	\$5,455 00

P. A. SOWELL, *President*;  
W. T. THOMAS, *Secretary*.

#### TREASURER'S REPORT.

##### *Receipts.*

Balance on hand at last report.....	\$1,803 59
One-half Conference receipts, 1901-02.....	1,623 07—\$3,426 66

1901.

##### *Disbursements.*

Nov. 14. Paid J. N. Alford, for Lewisburg.....	\$ 120 00
Paid W. S. Yarbrough, for Lebanon.....	120 00
Paid R. F. Ivnes, for Woodbury.....	200 00
Paid J. B. Thompson, for Anne Chapel.....	150 00
Paid John Terry, for Wesley's Chapel.....	75 00
Paid Rev. W. B. Taylor, for White Bluff.....	150 00
Paid A. W. Trogon, for Blue Creek.....	50 00
Paid F. E. Beaumont, for Reams's Chapel.....	100 00
1902.	
Jan. 21. Paid Rev. H. B. Reams, for Neapolis.....	230 00
29. Paid Rev. W. B. Taylor, for Erin.....	200 00
April 5. Paid Rev. W. T. Haggard, for Monterey.....	100 00
Feb. 28. Paid expenses of Executive Committee to annual meeting..	9 12
Oct. 21. Paid cash box.....	1 00
Paid miscellaneous .....	1 90— 1,507 02
Balance on hand subject to appropriation.....	\$1,919 64

*Receipts by Districts.*

DISTRICT.	Amount Assessed.	Amount Paid.	Per Cent Paid.	
			1901.	1902.
Nashville.....	\$ 816 00	\$ 636 50	80	78
East Nashville.....	624 00	405 47	70	65
Lebanon.....	336 00	206 75	40	64
Murfreesboro.....	528 00	240 21	37	46
Fayetteville.....	480 00	156 45	37	33
Columbia.....	528 00	512 60	74	97
Franklin.....	432 00	347 95	74	80
Savannah.....	192 00	114 85	49	60
Dickson.....	288 00	218 87	51	76
Clarksville.....	576 00	406 50	50	71
Total.....	\$4,800 00	\$3,246 15	60	68

Amount raised last year on \$6,000 assessment.....\$3,580 14

Amount raised this year on \$4,800 assessment..... 3,246 15

Decrease.....\$ 333 99

J. B. MURREY, *Treasurer.*

**XI. BOARD OF MISSIONS.**

In view of the fact that, despite droughts and floods and short crops throughout our Conference, we have made steady progress on our foreign and domestic missionary collections, collecting \$642.15 more on foreign missions and \$205.27 more on domestic missions than we did last year, we thank God for that degree of success which has attended our efforts, and gather strength and courage to press these claims more closely in the future. But we note with profound sorrow the fact that there still remains a deficit on these claims this year.

In view of the foregoing statement—namely, that there is a deficit on our missionary assessments—we urge all pastors to early and full collections for these purposes. Let our assessments, if possible, be the minimum collected in every charge. We also urge every presiding elder and pastor to a hearty coöperation in our midyear missionary meetings and in the circulation of the *Review of Missions* and *Go Forward* in every charge, and to earnest prayer to God for our missions and missionaries at home and abroad. We urge the several presiding elders to a closer and heartier coöperation with our Board and its representatives in our mission work, and that special stress be laid upon this great work in our District and Quarterly Conferences.

We note with pleasure the great work done by our Woman's Foreign and Home Mission Societies, and urge our pastors, one and all, to encourage and help these godly women in their work by organizing societies in every charge where they have none and by circulating their literature.

We heartily indorse the work done by our Epworth Leagues and Sunday schools, and urge them to greater effort along these lines.

We also urge all pastors traveling mission territory to press upon their people the duty and great privilege of liberal and systematic giving to these worthy causes. Therefore be it

*Resolved*, That we, as presiding elders, one and all, great and small, will do everything in our power to raise our assessments in full and to create in our people a missionary spirit by preaching missionary sermons, holding missionary mass meetings and rallies, distributing missionary literature, or in any other way the Spirit may dictate.

We present the name of Rev. A. P. McFerrin for appointment by the bishop as Secretary of our Conference Board of Missions, and ask that he be appointed.



Amount assessed for foreign missions, \$17,000; for domestic missions, \$9,000. Appor-  
tioned to the districts as follows:

	Foreign Missions.	Domestic Missions.
Nashville District .....	\$ 2,890 00	\$1,530 00
East Nashville District.....	2,210 00	1,170 00
Lebanon District .....	1,190 00	630 00
Murfreesboro District .....	1,870 00	990 00
Fayetteville District .....	1,700 00	900 00
Columbia District .....	1,870 00	990 00
Franklin District .....	1,530 00	810 00
Savannah District .....	680 00	360 00
Dickson District .....	1,020 00	540 00
Clarksville District .....	2,040 00	1,080 00
	<hr/> \$17,000 00	<hr/> \$9,000 00

The appropriations for domestic missions are as follows:

<i>Nashville District.</i>		<i>Fayetteville District.</i>	
North Nashville Mission.....	\$ 300 00	Brandon Mission .....	\$ 50 00
Harpeth River Mission.....	150 00	Liberty Mission .....	50 00
Centenary Mission .....	150 00	Hillsboro Mission .....	200 00
Carroll Street and Mission.....	100 00	Decherd Mission .....	100 00
Union Mission .....	100 00	Altamont Mission .....	50 00
	<hr/> \$ 800 00	Monteagle Mission .....	50 00
			<hr/> \$ 500 00
<i>East Nashville District.</i>		<i>Columbia District.</i>	
White House Mission.....	\$ 125 00	Trinity Mission .....	\$ 150 00
Fairfield Mission .....	125 00	Marcella Falls Mission.....	150 00
Pleasant Grove Mission.....	100 00		<hr/> \$ 300 00
Castalian Springs Mission.....	125 00	<i>Franklin District.</i>	
Greenville and Martin Mission...	100 00	Almaville Mission .....	\$ 200 00
Fountain Head Mission.....	150 00	Fernvale Mission .....	150 00
	<hr/> \$ 725 00	Alexander and Mission.....	100 00
			<hr/> \$ 450 00
<i>Lebanon District.</i>		<i>Savannah District.</i>	
Cainsville Mission .....	\$ 300 00	Kimmins Mission .....	\$ 200 00
Keltonsburg Mission .....	150 00	Hohenwald Mission .....	200 00
Carthage, Dickson and Mission..	75 00	Napier Mission .....	100 00
Gainesboro Mission .....	150 00	The District .....	500 00
Brotherton Mission .....	100 00		<hr/> \$1,000 00
Livingston Mission .....	100 00	<i>Dickson District.</i>	
Overton Mission .....	100 00	Goodrich Mission .....	\$ 150 00
Obed River Mission.....	125 00	Bon Aqua Mission .....	100 00
The District .....	200 00	Dickson Mission .....	200 00
	<hr/> \$1,400 00	McEwen Mission .....	200 00
		Bold Spring Mission.....	100 00
<i>Murfreesboro District.</i>		White Bluff Mission.....	350 00
Woodbury Mission .....	\$ 300 00	The District .....	200 00
Duck River Mission.....	250 00		<hr/> \$1,300 00
McMinnville Mission .....	50 00		
Caney Fork Mission.....	200 00		
Sparta Mission .....	100 00		
Summitville Mission .....	50 00		
Mud Creek Mission.....	50 00		
	<hr/> \$1,000 00		

<i>Clarksville District.</i>		Bethlehem and Hickory Point	
Palmyra Mission .....	\$ 250 00	Mission .....	\$ 250 00
Forest Street Mission.....	150 00		\$ 650 00

G. B. McPEAK, *President*;  
A. P. McFERRIN, *Secretary*.

### RECAPITULATION.

DISTRICT.	PRESIDING ELDER.	FOREIGN MISSIONS.		DOMESTIC MISSIONS.	
		Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.
Nashville.....	W. R. Peebles.....	\$ 2,890	\$ 2,613 81	\$1,530	\$1,491 50
East Nashville.....	J. R. Stewart.....	2,210	2,089 09	1,170	1,185 85
Lebanon.....	W. T. Haggard..	1,190	681 55	630	521 48
Murfreesboro.....	A. C. Couey.....	1,870	1,024 56	990	742 97
Fayetteville.....	W. H. Cotton.....	1,700	846 77	900	540 55
Columbia.....	D. C. Kelley.....	1,870	1,504 94	990	888 55
Franklin.....	H. B. Reams.....	1,530	1,288 40	810	796 95
Savannah.....	J. A. McFerrin.....	680	398 75	360	273 55
Dickson.....	W. B. Taylor.....	1,020	920 00	540	500 80
Clarksville.....	P. A. Sowell.....	2,040	1,681 76	1,080	1,050 70
Total.....		\$17,000	\$13,049 63	\$9,000	\$7,992 90

J. B. MORGAN, *Treasurer*.

## XII. JOINT BOARD OF FINANCE.

### REPORT NO. I.

We have had presented to us a communication from the Board of Trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, relative to the law enacted by the General Conference at Dallas, Tex., providing for the raising of \$5,000,000 as a permanent endowment fund for the more adequate support of the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of deceased preachers in our connection, and we unanimously recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:

*Resolved:* 1. That we most heartily indorse this action of the General Conference, believing as we do that no measure more important in its influence or more far-reaching in its effects has ever been projected by our Church, and that we pledge our utmost efforts to the securing of this endowment fund.

2. That we are gratified at the presence of Rev. A. F. Watkins, D.D., the General Agent of this fund, and pledge him our most cordial support in this most important work committed to him.

3. That we urge our presiding elders and preachers in charge to do all in their power to promote the success of this enterprise, as the law directs, making it the duty of the former to give prominence to this subject in Quarterly and District Conferences, and of the latter to present the cause and take a public collection in all the congregations of their respective charges at as early a date as they may think best.

R. P. McCLAIN, *Chairman*;  
ARTHUR B. RANSOM, *Secretary*.

### REPORT NO. 2.

The annual report of the Board of Trust for superannuated preachers, widows, and orphans of the Tennessee Conference, having been made to this Board, has been exam-

ined and approved by us, and we submit the same herewith to the Conference for any further action thereon:

"Since the last Conference this Board and your body has lost one of its most useful members in the death of Rev. Robert A. Young. His ability as a preacher and man of business capacity is known far and near in the Church. As a memorial will be prepared by your Committee on Memoirs, we make no extended remarks on his life and death. Allow us to say, however, that the Church has lost a great preacher and a true and loyal member, and the Board of Trust a most active and efficient member. May he sleep in peace!

"The Board reports that it has filled this vacancy by the election of Shade Murray, and asks that his election be approved by the Conference.

I. P. WEAKLEY, Secretary and Treasurer, in account with the Superannuated Preachers, Widows, and Orphans of the Tennessee Annual Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, South, from October 14, 1901, to October, 1902.

1901.

*Dr.*

Jan.	2.	To January dividend 85 shares stock N. & D. R. R.....	\$ 79 69
	15.	To January coupons Birmingham R. R. and Electric Co.....	200 00
		To December coupons, 1901, Nashville Title Company.....	30 00
Mar.	28.	To January coupons McGavock Street Railroad.....	60 00
		To January coupons Nashville Street Railway.....	50 00
July	2.	To July dividend N. & D. Railroad.....	79 69
	29.	To July coupons McGavock Street Railway.....	60 00
		To July coupons Birmingham Street Railway.....	200 00
		To July coupons Nashville Street Railway.....	50 00
		To June 1 coupons Nashville Title Company.....	30 00—\$839 38

1902.

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Feb.	15.	By W. H. Harkreader, Clerk of the County Court of Wilson County, Tenn. Inheritance tax on \$600 legacy of Mrs. E. A. Johnson .....	\$ 34 50
Oct.	14.	By check No. 23, to J. L. Parkes, Secretary and Treasurer Joint Board of Finance, Tennessee Annual Conference.....	804 88—\$839 38

*Assets.*

The funds of the Board amount to.....\$15,125 00  
No change in the securities has been made, and they remain as reported in October, 1900.

B. W. MACRAE, *President*;

T. P. WEAKLEY, *Secretary and Treasurer.*"

We respectfully recommend the adoption of the above report.

R. P. McCLAIN, *Chairman*;

ARTHUR B. RANSOM, *Secretary.*

#### REPORT NO. 3.

What amount is necessary for the support of the bishops? \$2,303.

What amount is necessary for superannuated preachers, and widows and orphans of deceased preachers? \$6,930.

What amount is necessary for printing the minutes? \$400.

R. P. McCLAIN, *Chairman*;

ARTHUR B. RANSOM, *Secretary.*

The following shows the per cent of assessments collected on the districts:

Nashville District.....	96 $\frac{87}{100}$	Savannah District.....	74 $\frac{11}{100}$
East Nashville District.....	94 $\frac{76}{100}$	Dickson District.....	91 $\frac{65}{100}$
Lebanon District.....	78 $\frac{16}{100}$	Clarksville District.....	96 $\frac{56}{100}$
Murfreesboro District..	73 $\frac{8}{100}$	Average per cent for the Conference.	87 $\frac{50}{100}$
Fayetteville District.....	59 $\frac{56}{100}$	Average per cent on Bishops.....	93 $\frac{20}{100}$
Columbia District.....	95 $\frac{64}{100}$	Average per cent on Conf. Claimants.	85 $\frac{38}{100}$
Franklin District.....	97 $\frac{65}{100}$	Average per cent on Minutes.....	88 $\frac{20}{100}$

Respectfully submitted.

R. P. McCLAIN, *Chairman*;

ARTHUR B. RANSOM, *Secretary*.

#### REPORT NO. 4.

What amount is necessary for the support of superannuated preachers, and widows and orphans of deceased preachers? \$6,600. To which add 5 per cent, as per resolution of this Conference last year, making the total amount \$6,930.

What has been collected, and from what sources, and how has it been applied?

From preachers in charge.....\$5,951 53

From Trustees of Superannuated Preachers' Fund..... 804 88

From balance left on hand last year..... 133 77—\$6,890 18.

Applied as follows:

Anderson, Rev. J. B.....	\$ 120 00	Jones, Mrs. D. H.....	\$ 60 00.
Anderson, Rev. G. W.....	50 00	Jordan, Rev. J. M.....	200 00
Anthony, Rev. N. A. (children of); G. W. Martin, Trustee.....	100 00	Kennedy, Rev. H. S.....	125 00
Berry, Mrs. U. N. M.; R. T. Moore, Trustee.....	250 00	Lawrence, Mrs. A. F. (burial ex- penses); Mrs. E. Wilson, Trus- tee.....	50 00.
Bolton, Mrs. J. G.; F. P. McWhir- ter, Trustee.....	160 00	Ledbetter, Rev. H. S.....	40 00.
Cherry, Rev. W. D.....	175 00	Lusby, Mrs. W. A.....	190 00.
Comer, Mrs. J. J.....	100 00	McBride, Miss Georgie; W. A. McBride, Trustee.....	60 00.
Crump, Mrs. R. J.....	200 00	Moore, Miss Alma; J. L. Quarles, Trustee.....	60 00.
Doss, Mrs. William.....	160 00	Moores, Rev. Z. W.....	140 00
Ezell, Rev. A. M.....	140 00	Myers, Mrs. J. G.....	100 00
Fagan, Mrs. R. L.....	90 00	Nichols, Mrs. Jasper; J. Bandy, Trustee.....	240 00.
Ferrell, Rev. B. F.....	25 00	Owings, N. B. S.; W. H. Beasley, Trustee.....	210 00
Ferrell, Mrs. B. G.....	130 00	Parks, Mrs. S. M.....	40 00.
Ganaway, Mrs. R. P.....	80 00	Petway, Mrs. F. S.....	80 00
Gantt, Mrs. B. R.....	80 00	Pittman, Mrs. J. J.....	100 00
Gaston, Rev. B. J.....	50 00	Plummer, Mrs. J. R.....	25 00.
Gaston, Miss Katie Bell; Dr. G. W. Moody, Trustee.....	60 00	Putman, Rev. J. C.....	185 00.
Gibson, Rev. J. G.....	180 00	Randle, Miss Mary E.; Ed L. Ran- dle, Trustee.....	150 00
Gray, Rev. R. P. (burial and cer- tain other expenses); Rev. John A. McFerrin, Trustee.....	80 00	Ransom, Mrs. R. P.....	75 00.
Guinn, Rev. G. D.....	150 00	Ray, Mrs. J. G.....	40 00.
Haggard, Mrs. B. S., and children.	205 00	Register, Mrs. J. W., and children; J. B. Harris, Trustee.....	240 00
Hensley, Mrs. W. G.; William Rogers, Trustee.....	80 00	Rice, Mrs. J. G.....	125 00.
Hickman, Mrs. W. P.....	80 00	Riggan, Rev. W. H.....	100 00.
Ivie, Rev. H. J.....	150 00		

Rowland, Mrs. W. T.....	\$ 250 00	Distributed out of the 5 per	
Sawrie, Mrs. W. D. F.....	85 00	cent additional, ordered at the last	
Shasteen, Mrs. S. J.....	90 00	Conference for claimants placed on	
Swindell, Mrs. W. R.....	70 00	the Board at this Conference, the	
Thompson, Mrs. D. S.; T. R. Hol-		lowell, Trustee .....	
	250 00	Woodward, Rev. T. H.....	\$ 50 00
Tucker, Rev. M. R.....	120 00	Graves, Rev. W. W.....	80 00
White, Rev. E. W.....	130 00	Fain, Rev. S. L.....	100 00
		Reagin, J. R.....	70 00
	<hr/>	Total .....	<hr/>
	\$6,525 00		\$6,825 00
		R. P. McClain, <i>Chairman</i> ;	
		Arthur B. Ransom, <i>Secretary</i> .	

## XIII. PUBLICATION OF THE JOURNAL.

*Expenses.*

Cost of printing, binding, etc., 4,000 copies of Journal of 1902.....	\$624 66
Cost of delivering same.....	68 90
Cost of printing and delivering Conference picture.....	72 33—\$765 89

*Receipts.*

Cash from sale of extra copies of Souvenir Journal and Conference Pic-	
ture .....	\$231 95
Cash from assessment of last year.....	396 93— 628 88
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Balance due Publishing House.....	\$137 01

*Assets.*

Accounts due from preachers for extra copies of Journal and the Conference picture.

L. R. AMIS, *Chairman*;

W. V. JARRATT.

## XIV. MEMOIRS.

LEWIS CANNON BRYAN, son of Asa and Edith Dias Bryan, was born in Robertson County, Tenn., February 19, 1817. He was converted to the Christian faith at McKendree Church, Nashville, Tenn., August, 1839, at the hour of 1 A.M. The only human witness and helper in that all-night struggle and final victory was Rev. R. G. Irvine, of precious memory. They have at last met in the life above, and their fellowship has been sweet. In 1840, at Murfreesboro, Tenn., he was admitted on trial into the Tennessee Conference. For sixty-one years at the roll call "Nothing against him" was said when his name was spoken. He served with acceptability and to edification the following circuits: Goose Creek, Mill Creek, Wesley, Spring Hill, Sumner, Stone's River, Harpeth, White's Creek, Hollandale, and Hermitage. The following stations: Decatur (Ala.), College Hill, Athens (Ala.), Clarks-ville, McKendree, Elysian Grove, Hobson Chapel, Harpeth, Smyrna and Kelley, Ar-lington and Woodbine. He served four

years as presiding elder on the Lebanon District. He was agent of the Tract So-ciety almost one year; was chaplain to the Tennessee Hospital for the Insane five years; served on the honor roll of superan-nuation in his Conference seven years. In this career we see a remarkably well-round-ed and filled life. It touched all measures of responsibility, and everywhere the obli-gation was faithfully discharged. He was reared in the country, in simple times and in simple ways, face to face with the tasks and conditions incident to such a life. Ac-customed to the sincere influences of moral-ity and religion existing in his youth, out of this wonderful fiber was woven the web of his life and character, and such results were but normal. His religious life began in a positive conviction of sin, an intelligent trust in the Saviour, and a conscious pardon and acceptance; and to these he added all the thought, devotion, and service of the after years of his life. He began the work of the Christian ministry immediately after his



entrance upon this new life: he was not "disobedient to the heavenly vision." His appointments show that he soon took rank among his brethren as a preacher, and there were giants in his day in the Tennessee Conference. He was richly endowed with voice, features, and temperament, making him acceptable in the ministry of his Church. A presiding elder who has known him long has said: "He was possessed of wearing power. The longer he served a charge, the higher he rose in their esteem. In the neighborhood where he lived for more than half a century his character had come to be the religious model for all the people." Another of his friends, an ex-presiding elder, has said: "The finest qualities in his character were: He was a Christian of the fairest type; an efficient minister of the gospel; a gentleman; true and brotherly; possessed of fine equipage; had one work, pursued it without undue haste, and without the delay of the sluggard." Another of his brethren, also an ex-presiding elder and gifted with the powers of analysis, has said: "He was eminently conservative; large common sense, simplicity, and sincerity distinguished him; courteous, but never lost sight of his own individuality; to know him was to know where he stood when principle was involved." One of our bishops, who knew and loved him, has said: "To me it is now a means of grace to think of him. He was a guileless believer; he did not doubt his discipleship; no one doubted he was a true disciple of Jesus; he walked in a straight road; his eye was single; he was never bewildered; his courage was not noisy, but rooted in faith, therefore stable; he came from communion with God, and walked among us with marks of heavenly fellowship on his face and in his speech." His pastor, honored above his brethren in being privileged to be his earthly shepherd when the light faded out, has said: "He fell on his own doorsteps, December 13, 1901, and perhaps fractured a hip bone, and was paralyzed from the day of his fall, but was conscious most of the time afterwards. He talked and prayed a great deal; he shouted nearly all the morning before he died; he repeated a great many passages of Scripture, often exclaiming: 'Glory to God in the highest!' He said to his presiding elder a few days before his death: 'All is clear ahead.' He died peacefully at 8 P.M. Saturday, December 21, 1901." Arlington Church, on the Murfreesboro road, was very dear to him, as it is to many other hearts. It was built under his ministry, and he was several years its pastor, and under its eaves he and his family lived since its erection. It was therefore fitting that his long-expressed desire should be gratified, and his funeral serv-

ices were held there in the presence of sorrowing loved ones and friends, and his body laid to rest in Mt. Olivet, to sleep with many whom he loved in life until the resurrection morning. He was married to Miss Sarah D. King October 12, 1843. Her father's house was the home of the itinerant, and on his farm was a Methodist camp ground. The young circuit rider wooed and won this daughter of Methodism. She was a wife from the Lord. She was one of the Good Father's saintliest daughters. A few months over fifty-eight years they walked happily together in the pathway of life, and she sat a few days under the cypress boughs and waited, and now they are united forever. Eleven children were born to them, and God helped them to rear these sons and daughters free from want, yet without extravagance, in honor, and all retaining love for the Church of their parents and grandparents. In all my ministry it was never my privilege to be pastor of a superannuated preacher whose spirit and life had in them so fully and beautifully the loyal and submissive qualities as were to be found in him. He loved and coöperated in the most loving tenderness with his pastors. When my ministry came to an end and I went to say a loving good-by he laid his hand on my shoulder and said: "I will pray for you every Sunday morning, and when you hear that I have slipped away, come and take my body to Arlington Church and have the services conducted there, in simplicity, and then lay me away in Mt. Olivet." Often the memory of that parting word has cheered me as I have gone forth, sometimes with a crushing burden, to do the will of my Master. Since I have realized that he is no more, I am inclined to exclaim: "My Father! my Father! The chariot of Israel and the horsemen thereof." In our private conversations he often spoke of the great revivals conducted by the Methodists in his days. One word he let fall greatly impressed me. He said that in those years of great soul-saving he prayed so often and long in secret that on his right knee there grew a callous excrescence. I have thought if we would pay the same price—live before God in secret—the old-time power would come again. His religious life had a gilded morning and a glorious sunset. And the day between the morning and evening, long though it was, was a summer day of fruitfulness. With our dear brother has passed—almost—the last of a generation of moral heroes, who won this fair land and held it to Methodism and Christianity. May we cherish their memories! Father and brother beloved, good-by!

P. A. SOWELL.

ROBERT MARTIN HAGGARD, born in Bed-

ford County, Tenn., October 15, 1819, who died June 11, 1902, at the day of his death had been eighty-two years, seven months, and twenty-six days on the earth. Having been received on trial into the Tennessee Conference at Florence, Ala., Bishop Paine presiding and W. C. Johnson, Secretary, October, 1854, in his thirty-fifth year, he was forty-seven years, eight months, and six days a Methodist preacher. During this period of time he was one year only (1873) a supernumerary and eleven years a superannuate, leaving thirty-six years in active service. In this stretch of time he had traveled eleven circuits and one mission, as follows: Rock Creek, Fayetteville, Salem and Camden Mission, Chapel Hill, Lewisburg, Petersburg, Cave Spring, Richland, Rich Valley, Unionville, Medium, and Berlin. He was twice married, first to Miss Barbara Sailors and next to Miss Mary Fisher, though he was a widower at the time of his death. Twelve children were born by the way. The first marriage gave five children, the next seven. Five of these preceded him to the better land. He was faithful in all the relations of life. As a husband he was tender and respectful, and as a father he was true, loving, and indulgent. His home life, therefore, among his children was not that of sternness, born of overmuch righteousness, but that of freedom, the outflow of Christian love, patience, and forbearance. All of his children, after a time, one by one, became members of the Church, two of whom became ministers, and one of whom is now an honored minister among us, while the other has passed over the river. His early educational advantages, in common with most preachers of his day, were meager. The writer of this sketch has heard him in his talks to the school children in a very entertaining manner tell of his school days, of their deficiency and the like, and yet these schools were the best that could be found in his day and community. By nature the subject of this sketch was endowed with a good, sound mind, a healthy body, and a musical voice, and, as he was given to observation and was an apt student of nature, men, and the Bible, he became a popular preacher among the people, the evidence of which was seen in the demand for him on special occasions, as funerals, revivals, and the like. All men have their elements of power. One of the elements of his power as a preacher was his social nature, for when he sat among his friends and talked and listened he was either the center of the group or a factor in it, proving that he was an appreciative listener as well as an interesting conversationalist. Another element of his power among men was the gift of song, for he had an innate knowledge and

power in music, and one of those magnetic voices which stirred, mellowed, and sweetened every human heart that came within the limits of its pathos and power. There is a picture in the writer's mind now. He had with the writer called by the way on a family for a pastoral visit. After the Scripture and prayer, he held us spellbound with more than one of his tender, pathetic songs, which none but he could render. There were tears and mellow hearts on that day in that house. Another one of the elements of his power was another gift: that peculiar, indefinable something called personal magnetism. He was clothed with it as with a garment, and it was a part of his physical make-up. Again, he was a revivalist, and belonged to that class of early preachers when every pastor was his own evangelist; for, besides being a preacher, he was a greater exhorter, and in this gift of exhortation was found another element of success. Men were awakened and converted to God, and the Church was edified, under his ministry. He himself had experienced conversion, and knew how to talk of its power to others. The writer recalls the time when he was conducting a series of meetings in Brother Haggard's own community. One evening of seeming fruitless labor this man of God appeared on the scene in old Cave Spring Church, and became a part of the meeting. We had toiled all night, and had caught nothing. That evening there were songs and exhortation by Brother Haggard, and the meeting began with a bright success, for there followed penitents, conversions, and increased congregations. His marriage and consequent settlement in that community were a blessing. He was brought in connection with its growth, and to him may be attributed in a great measure the fruitfulness of that Church, from which have gone several ministers of the gospel who are laboring among us. Our dear departed brother belonged to that generation of pioneer preachers in the State of Tennessee which preceded us, and which has forever gone from us. The early Methodist minister on circuits and missions, who did not hesitate to preach to very small congregations here and there over the country, were feeders for the city congregations and other centers, both in numbers and spiritual force, and made the present state of things among us possible. Their painstaking self-denial and earnest enthusiasm brought us a goodly heritage. They labored, and we have entered upon their labors. Through them God hath wrought great things for us. We shall close this sketch with a paragraph written by his son, Rev. W. T. Haggard: "My father served circuits and missions only, but never complained at

this nor asked for an appointment. He was sunshiny in nature and cheerful in disposition. He never went in debt, and died owing no man. He was never known to speak disparagingly of any brother, and one could not say aught against him. He was visiting his children in Lewisburg, Tenn., and was at the house of his son Bascom when his last sickness seized him. He died among his children. He said but little about dying. Indeed, during life he said but little about death; but he lived eloquently and earnestly, and his earnest life speaks for him. His tired body sleeps in the old family graveyard, in Marshall County, Tenn."

W. A. TURNER.

ROBERT A. YOUNG.—No name is more familiar to Tennessee Methodists than that which stands at the head of this biographical sketch. Robert A. Young was born in Knox County, Tenn., January 23, 1824. His grandfather, Henry Young, was an Englishman who came to America during the latter part of the eighteenth century, landing at Baltimore. He was in affluent circumstances, and gave his children the best educational advantages which could be obtained at that early period in our national life. His father, Capt. John C. Young, was born in Orange County, N. C., and educated at the famous State University at Chapel Hill. After graduation, he became a captain in the United States army, and served with distinction under Gen. Jackson. Later he retired from the army, and removed to Knox County, Tenn., where he engaged, successfully in farming until his death, in 1831. Dr. Young's mother was a daughter of John Hyder, a prosperous farmer of Carter County, Tenn. She was a woman of strong character and deep piety, and her influence helped largely in determining the character of her gifted son. The first sixteen years of Robert A. Young's life were spent at his paternal home, partly in private reading and study in a district school near by and partly in farm work. On his sixteenth birthday his mother "set him free," telling him, as he prepared to leave her, that she trusted him so fully that she would not have one moment's anxiety as to his conduct. It is pleasant to relate that, fifty years later, just before her death, she said to him: "Robert, I have never had one moment's anxiety about you since the day I set you free." He did not disappoint her trust. He was converted in August, 1842, and in the following December entered Washington College, from which institution he graduated in 1844. After graduation he began the study of medicine with one Dr. Brabson Rheatown. From early childhood, however, he had had the impression that he would ere long have to give up

his own plans and become a preacher. About this time the impression deepened into a positive conviction that he was called of God to this work. To this call he gave heed, and united with the Holston Conference in September, 1845. In the following autumn he came to Nashville and united with the Tennessee Conference, being influenced to this step chiefly by the advice of that peerless leader, Dr. A. L. P. Green. His first work in the Conference was at Cumberland Iron Works, where he remained two years. Thence he was removed to Columbia, where also he remained two years. During this pastoral term he received from Jackson College the degree of A.M. His next station was Huntsville, Ala., then considered second only to McKendree in the bounds of the Tennessee Conference. While serving this charge he was elected President of Huntsville Female College, but declined. In the fall of 1852 he was stationed at Lebanon; but at the end of the time, without his knowledge or consent, was transferred to the St. Louis Conference and stationed at First Church, St. Louis. He spent seven years in this Conference, distributed as follows: Pastor of First Church, two years; presiding elder of the St. Louis District, two years; presiding elder of the Lexington District, three years. During his pastoral life in St. Louis he wrote a series of articles for the *Home Circle Magazine*, published at Nashville, Tenn., entitled "Characters I Have Taken a Pen To." These were afterwards published in a handsome volume entitled "Personages." In the fall of 1860, when the war cloud began to rise above the horizon, Dr. Young, being strongly sympathetic with the South, deemed it best to return to his native State. Accordingly he was transferred back to the Tennessee Conference and stationed once more at Lebanon. At the end of the year he accepted the presidency of Wesleyan University, at Florence, Ala., an institution having a larger enrollment of students at that time than any other in the South, except the University of Virginia. This position he held for three years, at the close of which term he reentered the pastorate and was again stationed at Columbia. During the year 1865-66 he was stationed at Tulip Street, in Nashville, and during the next two quadrenniums at McKendree and Elm Street. As a preacher, he was clear, forceful, and commanding. In pastoral work, he was wise and diligent, and showed all the qualities of a true leader. His services, therefore, were everywhere in demand, and his success, in whatever field he labored, was marvelous. In 1874 the Board of Trust of Vanderbilt University showed its appreciation of his preëminent ability by electing him Financial Secretary

of that institution, which position he held until 1882, when he was elected by the General Conference at Nashville Secretary of the Board of Missions. His distinguished service in this position is known to all the Church. He was preëminently a man of affairs, and, coming into the office when his gifts were in sore need, he used them diligently, even going to the extent of making himself, jointly with another veteran member of our Conference, personally responsible for obligations which the Board was unable to meet. At the close of this term of service he went abroad for a year. On his return, in 1887, he was appointed presiding elder of the Nashville District, and reappointed till his superannuation in 1890. In 1891 he was again placed on the active list, and served as pastor of Carroll Street for two years. He was again superannuated in 1894, but returned to the active ranks the following fall, and was again stationed at Carroll Street. From 1896 to 1900 he was on the superannuated roll again, and from that time till his departure he was a supernumerary. He was first elected to the General Conference in 1865, and was reëlected to the six succeeding sessions of that distinguished body. In all these he was influential and useful. He was Secretary of the Tennessee Conference for twenty consecutive sessions—namely, from 1862 to 1881. He was twenty-eight years Secretary of the Board of Trust of Vanderbilt University. For several years preceding his death he was Regent of Belmont College. He was the author of several volumes, some of which attained a large circulation. Dr. Young was twice married: first, in June, 1847, to Miss Mary A. Kennon, who died in 1879. His second wife was Mrs. Anna Green Hunter, youngest daughter of Dr. A. L. P. Green. She still survives. Both his marriages were happy, and his home life was most beautiful. He died after a very short illness. Before the surgical operation which he was compelled to undergo and after which he did not recover consciousness, he talked freely with his beloved wife, expressing his unshaken faith in Christ and his readiness to go, if so the Master willed. So he lived, so he wrought in triumph, so he died. "Servant of God, well done."

E. B. CHAPPELL.

WILLIAM ALBERT LUSBY, son of W. H. and Louisa J. Lusby, was born December 6, 1860, in Limestone County, Ala. He was converted and joined the Church in the fall of 1883. He was licensed by the fourth Quarterly Conference of Prospect Circuit, Columbia District, at Kedron, in the latter part of September, 1884, and by the same Quarterly Conference recommended to the

Tennessee Annual Conference, which met in McKendree Church October 9 of the same year. He was from that Conference appointed to Forest Grove Circuit, where he preached his first sermon. There was a case of "love at first sight" that day. Brother William Mullens (God bless him, wherever he is!) fell desperately in love with his "boy preacher," carried him to his home, showed him his room, stable, feed, and welcomed him to his home during his stay on the circuit. The attachment continued to the end. Sister Mullens joined heartily in the love affair, and no preacher ever had a sister more careful of his wants. Brother Lusby stayed there two years, and could have stayed the pastoral limit as well, so far as his acceptability and usefulness were concerned. He then served one year at Centerville, one at Alex Green, and was then appointed to Cornersville and Lewisburg, where he spent four happy and useful years. How they did love him! From there he went to Wartrace. These were four years of hard study and marked improvement in pulpit and in broadening. After spending one year in Sparta Station, he was sent to Winchester, where he took up and succeeded in the most difficult work of his ministry. Four years proved to the good people of Winchester that they had a treasure in their pastor, and they loved him dearly to the end of his life. How fit that his body should wait the resurrection in the silent city where so many of their loved ones rest! Many the flower that will fall upon that grave. Brother Lusby served several years as Treasurer of the Board of Education in his Conference, and to the entire satisfaction of all. The "Souvenir Journal" says of him: "He received his education in the public schools and in the high school at Bethel, Tenn., and supplemented this by diligent study." Brother Lusby was twice married. He was married to Miss Josephine Lewis October 6, 1881. She died January 13, 1883. He was married to Miss Ida Broune January 18, 1888. Having licensed him to preach, introduced him to the Conference, and received her into the Church, it was not surprising that they should desire me to celebrate with them the happy event. I thought at the time that I had never solemnized the rite of matrimony for a more fitting pair. It was true. She says: "Almost fourteen years of married happiness. Two girls and three boys were given to bless our home. He fell on sleep in Jesus December 21, 1901, aged forty-one years and seventeen days. We carried him to Winchester, and on Christmas Eve Brother Clement held the funeral service in the church he loved, assisted by Brothers Jordan and Coleman. He rests among the people he loved so dearly, for he



loved Winchester and Winchester loved him. He expressed a desire that you should bury him, if in the State, and I should be glad for you to write his obituary, for he loved you dearly. We prayed so earnestly for his recovery, but it was not God's will. I needed him so much to help me rear our five little children. It was so hard to give him up. The future looks so dark and gloomy!" I quote thus freely, that I may lay the shrinking, timid, suffering one on the great heart of that whole-souled and noble band of brothers whose warm-heartedness I was so familiar with for twenty-eight years of itinerant life. Brother Lusby will be remembered for many a year to come as the modest, retiring man who was ever true to every trust—a man who was never found on the doubtful or equivocal side of any question, who was as tender as a child in his pastoral work, painstaking in all that was assigned him for the glory of the Master and the advancement of his cause. Brethren, in the quiet little community of Mooresville his six shorn ones, so dear to his heart, await divine direction. By every token of love and every tie of a common ministry, they are our nieces and our nephews. I know they will not lack for kind words and kind deeds. Heaven, through you, will temper the winds to these shorn lambs. T. J. DUNCAN.

ROBERT PAINE GRAY, son of Rev. Mark W. and Mrs. Mary J. Gray, was born in Franklin, Williamson County, Tenn., February 2, 1847. In September, 1864, he consecrated himself to God through Christ. God accepted the offering, and saved him by the washing of regeneration and the renewing of the Holy Ghost. Three years later, October 25, 1867, at Clarksville, Tenn., he was admitted on trial into the Tennessee Conference, after which time he served seventeen pastoral charges lying in North Alabama and Middle Tennessee. Only a few of these charges provided a competent support. Nevertheless he served them all faithfully, gladly, suffering with his Lord, working well, waiting patiently, enduring as seeing Him who is invisible. "Other hope had he none, nor wish in life but to follow meekly with reverent steps the sacred feet of his Saviour." My first year in the ministry, when we were both young, we traveled adjoining works. Our friendship began then, and grew as the years went by. A casual acquaintance would have impressed one that he had no cares. He had sorrows, but he did not advertise them. He had burdens, but he did not try to unload them upon

his fellow-travelers. He had a happy, joyous disposition. He was a Christian philosopher. He cast all his cares on the Lord, and "by his life alone, gracious, sweet, the better life was shown." Frequently he rendered me valuable assistance in protracted meetings. Twice I have had the honor of being his presiding elder. He was a good preacher, plain, scriptural, and spiritual. He loved God and the Church, and had a heart full of sympathy for suffering humanity. In June he wrote me that he felt that his work was finished, and, while he regretted it, and had hoped to live to accomplish some things yet undone, he was resigned to God's will. He loved his family, and bared his breast to the storm for their welfare. His wife having gone before, his daughter married and moved to another State, he was left with four boys, who are now about grown. He said to me after Conference last fall: "I am so glad there is a parsonage at Waynesboro. I shall keep house, so that my boys will have a place to come when they are out of employment." I visited that home, and my admiration and esteem for him were increased by that visit. His conduct toward those boys was as tender and sweet as a mother's. His last days were spent at the home of his brother, Dr. Gray, at Rockvale. Rev. J. C. Keathley, his brother's pastor, has given me the following facts in regard to his last days: "He came to his brother's home about the 1st of September. I visited him soon after. I found him very weak. He talked of the past, and was looking with great interest to the future." On Thursday before he passed away, Brother Keathley visited him. He was then very weak, but was conscious, and said: "I shall soon be at rest." He revived a little, and was very happy, rejoicing in the Lord. He said to his brother: "My dear brother, we have stood together through the duties and trials of life, but soon I'll rejoice in the great life beyond." On Sunday, when Brother Keathley was there, he had but little to say, but did say: "I shall never meet in another session of the Tennessee Conference. Tell my brethren 'Howdy' for me; tell them my condition." He broke down with this, and in a low tone added: "Good-by." He fell asleep October 21, 1902. He has answered his last roll call here, but his name is inscribed in the Lamb's Book of Life, and when the roll is called up there he will answer and be received into that rest that remains to the people of God, where the wicked cease from troubling and the weary are at rest.

JOHN A. MCFERRIN.



**TENNESSEE CONFERENCE BROTHERHOOD.***Report for year ending October 22, 1902.*

Call 22. Paid to family of D. H. Merriman.....	\$490 50
Call 23. Paid to family of L. C. Bryan.....	475 35
Call 24. Paid to family of W. A. Lusby.....	475 35
Call 25. Paid to family of R. A. Young.....	438 70

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Murfreesboro, Tenn.

**TENNESSEE CONFERENCE SISTERHOOD.***Report for year ending October 22, 1902.*

Call No. 7. Paid Rev. W. H. Lovell.....	\$100 00
Call No. 8. Paid Rev. H. M. Jarvis.....	75 50
Call No. 9. Paid children of Mrs. A. B. Lawrence .....	75 50
Call No. 10. Paid Rev. J. T. Curry .....	68 00
Call No. 11. Paid children of Mrs. D. H. Merryman.....	68 00

MRS. T. C. RAGSDALE, *Secretary and Treasurer,*  
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**ASSESSMENTS FOR TENNESSEE CONFERENCE FOR 1901-02.**

DISTRICT.	Foreign Missions.	Domestic Missions.	Church Extension.	Conference Claimants.	Bishops.	Education.	Minutes.
Nashville.....	\$ 2,890	\$1,530	\$ 927	\$1,178 00	\$ 400	\$ 658	\$ 68
East Nashville.....	2,210	1,170	709	901 00	303	503	52
Lebanon.....	1,190	630	382	485 00	160	271	28
Murfreesboro.....	1,870	990	600	763 00	252	426	44
Fayetteville.. .	1,700	900	546	693 00	229	387	40
Columbia.....	1,870	990	600	763 00	251	426	44
Franklin.....	1,530	810	491	624 00	205	349	36
Savannah.....	680	360	219	277 00	92	155	16
Dickson.....	1,020	540	327	415 00	137	232	24
Clarksville.....	2,040	1,080	654	831 00	274	465	48
Total.....	\$17,000	\$9,000	\$5,455	\$6,930. 00	\$2,303	\$3,872	\$400

## STATISTICAL AND FINANCIAL REPORT.

## NASHVILLE DISTRICT.

CHARGE.	Local Preachers.	Members.	Total Members.	Add'ts on Prof. of Faith.	Adds. by Certif. and Otherwise.	Removals: Death, Certificate, Etc.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Societies.	No. of Churches.	Value of Churches.	No. Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Value of Other Church Property.	Money Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Insurance Paid.	Epworth Leagues.	Epworth League Members.	Total Raised by Leagues.	Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Amount Collected for Sunday Schools.	Amount Collected for Missions.	Amount Collected on Children's Day.	Total Amount Raised.	American Bible Society.
McKendree.....	9	800	809	58	92	143	26	7	1	1	\$ 75,000	...	...	...	\$ 75 98	\$ 40,000	1	50	\$211 81	1	27	377	\$ 207 41	\$100 00	\$ 8 74	\$ 375 65	.....
Elm Street.....	1	740	741	2	33	23	5	4	1	1	18,000	...	...	\$2,000 00	70 90	8,000	1	50	12 00	1	33	350	238 34	31 05	12 53	281 92	.....
West End.....	13	824	837	45	95	83	16	2	1	1	65,350	...	...	...	...	25,000	1	50	150 00	2	35	508	185 34	70 83	8 64	264 81	.....
West Nashville.....	4	406	410	9	73	35	4	4	1	2	8,000	1	\$ 2,750	...	583 55	5,200	1	64	75 25	2	27	358	75 67	23 02	3 17	183 99	\$ 1 00
Carroll Street.....	3	518	521	9	51	114	1	9	1	1	15,000	...	...	2,000 00	331 75	5,000	2	125	50 00	1	23	250	153 71	66 73	5 00	265 44	5 00
North High Street.....	4	476	480	7	37	11	1	6	1	1	2,500	1	4,000	300 00	110 10	1,500	2	95	45 00	1	20	256	109 14	22 00	3 18	134 32	1 00
Park Ave. & Epworth.	1	200	201	6	44	89	5	2	1	2	3,500	...	...	...	75 00	3,200	1	40	30 00	2	15	310	25 00	...	...	25 00	...
So. St. & Watkins Gr.	2	170	172	2	15	78	...	...	2	2	5,700	1	2,000	...	98 38	4,000	2	41	18 00	1	9	102	41 09	9 67	2 35	53 11	55
Woodbine & Thomps'n	2	223	225	19	22	12	10	...	2	2	2,500	1	1,000	...	135 50	1,000	1	15	9 00	2	20	150	46 37	...	15 62	61 99	3 00
McTyeire Memorial.....	...	337	337	4	30	30	4	7	1	1	1,500	...	...	...	13 00	1,000	1	25	15 25	1	12	160	25 50	7 55	60	49 65	1 00
Humphreys Street.....	...	224	224	17	9	25	10	11	1	1	1,200	...	...	...	...	1,000	1	43	12 00	1	12	60	28 85	12 60	2 05	43 50	2 35
Fillmore.....	1	71	72	9	4	2	5	...	1	1	1,500	...	...	...	...	800	...	...	...	1	10	152	2 50	...	1 00	18 50	2 75
Waverly Place.....	...	244	244	2	30	23	...	26	1	1	6,000	...	...	...	...	3,000	2	48	18 90	1	18	151	81 32	29 39	5 66	116 37	...
Blakemore.....	...	221	221	6	29	11	1	1	1	1	2,500	...	...	...	144 47	1,500	1	41	...	1	18	182	36 82	11 94	1 47	74 66	1 00
Arlington.....	...	120	120	2	7	13	1	1	1	1	3,000	1	1,250	450 00	186 40	2,750	1	20	11 40	1	11	73	75 45	15 63	4 00	112 27	5 00
North Nashville Mis...	1	90	91	6	10	4	3	2	3	2	800	...	...	75 00	...	500	...	...	...	2	12	94	20 89	1 00	2 40	40 19	...
Centenary.....	2	306	308	...	4	4	...	...	1	3	3,000	1	800	200 00	130 00	...	...	...	...	3	12	95	10 00	...	2 35	12 35	...
Bellevue.....	1	234	235	1	6	4	...	...	1	3	1,800	...	...	...	...	...	2	37	3 00	2	11	55	13 31	2 10	5 95	21 36	...
Union Mission.....	1	175	176	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	1,200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	9	80	...	...	...	...	...
Harpeth River Mission	...	128	128	4	2	...	4	2	4	1	200	...	...	25 00	...	...	...	...	...	3	13	134	1 05	...	...	1 05	50
Total.....	45	6,507	6,552	208	593	704	96	86	33	31	\$218,250	6	\$11,800	\$5,050 00	\$1,955 03	\$103,450 20	744	...	\$661 61	31	347	3,897	\$1,377 76	\$403 51	\$83 71	\$2,135 13	\$23 15

CHARGE.	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		Bishops.		Conf. Claim'nts.		Foreign Missions.		Dom. Missions.		Church Ext'n.		Education.		Paid for Publishing Journal.	Total Am't Raised for All Purposes.
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.		
McKendree*.....	\$ 617 00	\$ 617 00	\$ 3,000 00	\$ 3,000 00	\$108 00	\$108 00	\$ 375 00	\$ 376 00	\$ 916 00	\$ 916 00	\$ 488 00	\$ 488 00	\$259 00	\$259 00	\$214 00	\$214 00	\$22 00	\$11,567 67
Elm Street.....	260 00	260 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	46 00	35 00	157 00	157 00	288 00	210 20	205 00	200 00	110 00	20 00	90 00	20 00	5 00	4,308 85
West End†.....	496 00	496 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	81 00	81 00	281 00	281 00	692 00	692 00	366 00	366 00	195 00	195 00	164 00	164 00	15 00	14,193 81
West Nashville.....	90 00	90 00	900 00	900 00	16 00	16 00	55 00	55 00	134 00	134 00	70 00	70 00	38 00	38 00	32 00	32 00	3 00	2,950 17
Carroll Street.....	90 00	70 00	900 00	700 00	16 00	16 00	55 00	55 00	134 00	121 30	71 00	71 00	37 00	...	32 00	12 25	3 00	1,926 88
North High Street.....	48 00	48 00	600 00	600 00	5 00	5 00	18 00	18 00	44 00	44 00	23 00	23 00	12 00	12 00	10 00	10 00	1 00	1,330 21
Park Ave. & Epworth.	45 00	43 20	500 00	481 60	8 00	4 00	27 00	27 00	67 00	67 00	35 00	35 00	19 00	9 50	16 00	8 00	1 25	676 55
S. St. & Watkins Gr.	36 00	29 23	450 00	361 57	6 00	6 00	22 00	22 00	54 00	54 00	29 00	29 00	17 00	...	12 00	7 34	1 00	508 69
Woodbine & Thomps'n	32 00	32 00	500 00	502 00	6 00	6 00	19 10	19 10	48 00	48 00	25 00	25 00	13 00	13 00	12 00	12 00	1 00	977 19
McTyeire Memorial.....	16 00	16 00	400 00	400 00	3 00	3 00	9 00	9 00	23 00	23 00	13 00	13 00	7 00	7 00	6 00	6 00	50	610 30
Humphreys Street.....	11 00	7 72	350 00	247 00	2 00	2 00	6 00	6 00	16 00	16 00	8 00	8 00	4 00	4 00	4 00	4 00	1 00	417 67
Fillmore.....	5 00	1 47	100 00	50 00	1 00	50	3 00	1 50	8 00	4 00	2 75	2 75	2 00	1 00	2 00	1 00	25	83 72
Waverly Place.....	48 00	48 00	720 00	755 00	10 00	11 00	33 00	33 99	80 00	82 31	43 00	44 00	23 00	24 00	20 00	21 00	3 00	1,269 32
Blakemore.....	40 00	26 19	400 00	261 90	7 00	1 50	24 00	6 85	59 00	20 00	31 00	10 00	16 00	4 00	14 00	4 00	1 00	470 01
Arlington.....	100 00	100 00	1,000 00	1,000 00	16 00	16 00	57 00	57 00	138 00	138 00	73 00	73 00	39 00	39 00	31 00	31 00	3 00	2,593 04
North Nashville Mis...	20 00	20 00	18 25	18 25	3 00	3 00	12 00	10 50	31 00	4 00	16 00	10 25	8 00	5 00	7 00	5 00	1 00	230 34
Centenary.....	18 00	11 00	227 00	133 90	2 00	2 00	7 00	7 00	17 00	17 00	9 00	9 00	5 00	3 00	4 00	4 00	1 00	294 90
Bellevue.....	18 00	14 50	150 00	113 60	3 00	3 00	11 00	5 00	27 00	10 00	14 00	6 50	8 00	...	6 00	...	1 00	153 10
Union Mission.....	4 00	4 00	140 00	59 30	50	50	2 00	2 00	6 00	6 00	3 00	3 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	...	78 80
Harpeth River Mission	6 00	3 90	130 00	85 07	1 50	1 00	3 00	3 00	8 00	7 00	4 00	5 00	2 00	1 00	2 00	...	...	106 52
Total.....	\$2,000 00	\$1,938 21	\$19,335 25	\$14,369 19	\$341 00	\$319 50	\$1,177 10	\$1,151 94	\$2,890 00	\$2,613 81	\$1,530 00	\$1,491 50	\$816 00	\$636 50	\$680 00	\$557 59	\$63 00	\$44,647 74

\* Paid for Twentieth Century Fund, \$64.75. † Paid for Twentieth Century Fund, \$375.

## EAST NASHVILLE DISTRICT.

CHARGE.	Local Preachers.	Members.	Total Members This Year.	Additions on Prof. of Faith.	Adds. by Certif. and Otherwise.	Removals: Death, Certificate, Etc.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Societies.	Churches.	Value of Churches.	Personages.	Value of Parsonages.	Value of Other Church Property.	Money Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Insurance Carried.	Epworth Leagues.	Epworth League Members.	Total Raised by Leagues.	Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Amount Collected for Sunday Schools.	Amount Collected for Missions.	Amount Collected on Children's Day.	Total Amount Raised in Sunday Schools.	American Bible Society.
Tulip Street.....	5	962	967	46	59	55	27	6	1	1	\$ 60,000	...	.....	\$1,500 00	\$ 171 50	\$34,000	1	45	\$104 62	2	45	654	\$ 306 07	\$100 00	\$ 13 48	\$ 504 75	.....
McFerrin Memorial.....	12	533	535	10	41	41	3	8	1	1	22,000	...	.....	200 00	26 00	10,000	2	128	62 55	1	30	380	127 28	61 21	35 50	238 49	\$ 5 43
Alex Erwin.....	1	116	117	11	6	12	10	1	1	1	2,300	...	.....	...	...	1,200	...	...	...	1	7	60	18 67	10 00	2 89	31 56	.....
East End.....	22	328	330	10	19	4	8	5	1	1	3,500	...	...	...	11 00	...	97	30 40	1	17	180	74 18	25 40	4 37	117 60	1 00	
Hobson Chapel.....	22	191	193	3	14	7	2	...	1	1	3,500	1	\$ 1,000	750 00	133 60	...	18	65 40	1	9	75	40 03	11 79	6 57	72 50	4 68	
Trinity.....	...	127	127	21	6	6	13	6	1	1	3,500	...	.....	...	339 75	2,000	1	35	14 75	1	15	159	181 33	100 75	9 17	386 32	.....
Alex Green Circuit....	...	372	372	7	12	9	3	6	4	4	3,800	1	2,000	...	132 00	2,500	...	...	...	4	40	230	38 53	2 53	9 63	75 50	.....
Cumberland Circuit.....	...	296	296	3	7	8	...	1	5	2 1/2	4,200	1	1,075	100 00	107 00	1,000	...	...	...	4	30	160	26 80	...	8 53	48 83	50
Goodlettsville Circuit..	...	352	352	14	5	11	11	2	2	2	5,000	1	1,100	...	240 85	4,200	2	52	34 50	2	26	230	164 40	10 00	17 00	191 40	.....
Green Brier Mission....	1	353	354	22	35	31	19	3	5	4 1/2	3,800	1	800	...	716 00	...	...	...	...	4	32	286	59 22	...	6 83	66 05	.....
Baker Station Circuit..	1	375	376	11	3	9	7	5	3	3	3,100	...	...	75 00	98 18	800	...	...	...	3	21	155	55 00	...	2 56	77 36	50
Fountain Head Mission	1	337	338	5	6	3	5	...	4	4	4,660	1	1,100	...	40 00	...	...	...	...	2	15	150	21 00	...	...	21 00	.....
Gallatin.....	...	477	477	51	19	25	35	4	1	1	15,000	1	4,000	600 00	329 00	12,100	2	39	35 80	1	24	247	71 80	61 60	30 57	163 97	15 00
Sunner Circuit.....	1	342	343	3	7	29	3	2	5	5	4,000	1	800	...	133 35	...	3	80	...	6	40	337	34 53	...	17 76	52 39	.....
Saundersville Circuit...	...	287	287	13	20	21	13	8	3	3	3,300	1	1,200	...	609 00	600	...	...	...	3	22	144	19 15	8 03	10 45	37 63	.....
Bethpage.....	...	234	234	18	3	17	10	5	1	1	1,000	1	1,000	60 00	54 00	...	2	83	9 40	1	8	117	15 82	...	7 25	22 57	2 00
Fairfield Mission.....	1	453	454	5	...	...	7	3	6	4	2,000	1	425	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	15	150	10 00	...	...	10 00	.....
Castalian Springs.....	...	143	143	...	1	6	...	...	3	3	3,100	1	600	50 00	81 95	...	...	...	2	9	45	6 18	1 14	...	7 32	1 00	
Hermitage Circuit.....	1	554	555	7	11	13	7	5	4	4	3,500	1	1,300	...	301 00	...	3	70	20 00	4	36	325	75 00	10 00	15 50	100 50	4 00
Pleasant Grove Mis....	...	370	370	22	2	...	...	...	5	4 1/2	2,600	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	20	185	15 82	...	5 75	21 57	.....
Gr'nville & Martin Mis	1	223	224	10	9	2	13	3	3	3	3,300	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	17	140	16 25	...	6 98	23 23	.....
Total.....	19	7,425	7,444	292	285	316	192	77	58	54 1/2	\$157,160	13	\$16,400	\$3,335 00	\$3,423 18	\$68,400	19	647	\$377 42	55	478	4,409	\$1,377 06	\$402 45	\$210 80	\$2,306 81	\$34 11

CHARGE.	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		Bishops.		Conf. Claim'ts.		Foreign Missions.		Dom. Missions.		Chu'ch Ext'n.		Education.		Paid for Publishing Journal.	Total Amt Raised for All Purposes.
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Asses'd.	Paid.	Asses'd.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Asses'd.	Paid.	Asses'd.	Paid.		
Tulip Street*.....	\$ 583 35	\$ 583 35	\$ 3,000 00	\$ 3,000 00	\$ 86 66	\$ 86 66	\$300 30	\$300 30	\$ 736 66	\$ 746 66	\$ 390 00	\$ 390 00	\$208 00	\$208 00	\$173 33	\$173 33	\$17 33	\$14,422 95
McFerrin Memorial...	192 50	192 50	1,200 00	1,200 00	28 60	28 60	99 10	99 10	243 10	122 00	128 70	128 70	68 64	5 00	57 20	5 00	3 00	3,401 35
Alex Erwin.....	17 50	17 50	200 00	200 00	2 60	2 60	9 01	9 01	22 10	22 10	11 70	11 70	6 24	6 24	5 21	5 21	52	503 48
East End.....	43 75	52 50	600 00	600 00	6 50	7 80	22 52	27 03	55 25	55 25	29 25	29 25	15 60	15 60	15 00	15 00	1 56	1,205 66
Hobson Chapel.....	52 50	52 50	500 00	543 00	7 80	7 80	27 03	27 03	66 30	73 10	35 10	35 10	18 72	18 72	15 60	15 60	1 56	1,104 04
Trinity.....	35 00	35 00	500 00	519 13	5 20	5 20	18 02	18 02	44 20	50 75	23 41	28 86	12 48	12 48	10 40	10 40	1 04	1,373 11
Alex Green Circuit.....	61 25	61 25	575 00	575 00	9 10	9 10	31 53	31 50	77 35	48 80	40 95	40 95	21 84	21 84	18 20	12 08	.....	1,172 44
Cumberland Circuit....	43 75	27 80	400 00	270 40	6 50	2 50	22 52	8 00	55 25	34 10	29 25	18 00	15 60	3 00	13 00	2 00	1 30	597 13
Goodlettsville Circuit..	87 50	87 50	600 00	600 00	13 00	13 00	45 05	45 05	110 50	110 50	58 50	58 50	31 20	31 20	26 00	26 00	2 00	1,840 15
Green Brier Mission....	26 25	22 07	470 00	372 05	3 90	3 90	13 51	13 51	33 16	33 16	17 55	17 55	9 36	9 36	7 80	7 80	1 25	1,379 25
Baker Station Circuit..	35 00	22 50	227 00	201 00	5 20	5 20	18 02	8 00	44 20	20 00	23 41	8 30	12 48	1 75	10 40	1 00	1 50	432 98
Fountain Head Mission	35 00	35 00	300 00	300 00	5 20	5 20	18 02	18 02	44 20	20 25	23 41	23 50	12 48	12 48	10 40	10 40	1 04	512 70
Gallatin.....	179 38	179 38	1,000 00	1,000 00	26 65	26 65	92 35	92 35	226 52	226 52	119 92	119 93	63 96	.....	53 30	28 70	1 33	2,913 13
Sunmer Circuit.....	70 00	60 60	500 00	443 00	10 40	10 40	36 04	33 20	88 40	88 40	46 80	46 80	24 96	.....	20 80	20 80	2 08	896 02
Saundersville Circuit...	70 00	59 67	500 00	439 91	10 40	10 40	36 04	15 00	88 40	80 00	46 80	46 80	24 96	6 00	20 80	5 00	2 08	1,422 36
Bethpage.....	52 50	52 50	450 00	455 00	7 80	7 80	27 03	28 25	66 30	200 00	35 10	71 75	18 72	19 00	15 60	15 60	1 75	1,143 01
Fairfield Mission.....	21 87	21 87	178 13	180 00	3 25	3 25	11 26	11 26	27 63	5 50	14 62	14 62	7 80	.....	6 50	.....	66	167 16
Castalian Springs.....	26 25	20 92	300 00	239 64	3 25	3 90	11 26	13 51	33 16	16 25	17 55	17 55	9 36	.....	7 80	.....	78	499 70
Hermitage Circuit.....	81 65	81 65	550 00	550 00	12 13	12 13	42 03	42 03	103 12	103 12	54 59	54 60	29 12	29 12	24 26	24 26	2 43	1,364 83
Pleasant Grove Mis....	21 87	16 45	250 00	183 50	3 25	3 25	11 26	3 00	27 63	16 91	14 62	14 62	7 80	1 00	6 50	2 00	65	321 45
Gr'nville & Martin Mis	13 13	13 20	238 87	241 77	1 96	1 96	6 75	6 75	16 57	15 72	8 77	8 77	4 68	4 68	3 90	3 90	39	334 19
Total.....	\$1,750 00	\$1,695 71	\$12,539 00	\$12,113 40	\$260 00	\$256 30	\$900 90	\$849 93	\$2,210 00	\$2,089 09	\$1,170 00	\$1,185 85	\$624 00	\$405 47	\$520 00	\$380 18	\$43 25	\$37,007 19

\* Paid for Twentieth Century Fund, \$1,047.00.

LEBANON DISTRICT.

CHARGE.	Local Preachers.	Members.	Total Members This Year.	Additions on Prof of Faith.	Adds. by Certif. and Otherwise.	Removals: Death, Certificate, Etc.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Societies.	Churches.	Value of Churches.	Parsonages.	Value of Parson-ages.	Value of Other Church Prop-erty.	Money Expended for Churches and Parson-ages.	Insurance Car-ried.	EpworthLeagues	Epworth League Members.	Total Raised by Leagues.	Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Amount Collect-ed for Sunday Schools.	Amount Collected for Missions.	Amount Collected on Children's Day.	Total Amount Raised.	American Bible Society.
Lebanon Station*.....	2	309	309	14	26	37	12	1	1	1	\$10,000	1	825	\$1,500	\$1,150 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	20	235	\$136 01	.....	.....	\$ 136 01	.....
Lebanon Circuit.....	2	447	449	30	4	11	27	2	4	4	4,500	1	.....	200	26 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	41	424	62 25	.....	\$23 00	85 25	\$5 97
Jacob's Hill Circuit.....	1	390	391	15	17	18	16	.....	4	4	2,900	.....	.....	110	32 80	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	14	130	13 00	.....	6 70	19 70	.....
Cainsville Mission.....	1	165	166	6	5	10	3	1	4	4	1,880	1	400	50	945 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	17	109	7 94	.....	1 40	9 34	.....
Alexandria & Liberty.....	1	380	380	3	.....	13	6	.....	4	4	4,000	1	700	.....	1,000 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	21	200	74 00	.....	4 25	159 35	.....
Watertown Circuit.....	2	380	382	2	10	1	.....	5	5	5	5,100	.....	.....	.....	76 00	\$1,000	.....	.....	.....	4	30	234	36 00	.....	.....	51 00	.....
Smithville Circuit.....	1	572	572	4	9	6	4	.....	7	7	3,400	.....	.....	110	40 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	40	300	45 00	.....	.....	60 00	.....
Mt. Olivet Circuit.....	1	340	341	2	1	3	2	2	7	5	2,500	.....	.....	235	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	8	75	10 00	.....	.....	10 00	.....
Carthage Circuit.....	1	396	396	3	4	8	2	.....	4	3 1/4	8,000	.....	.....	.....	112 50	2,000	1	32	\$1 50	2	20	137	23 43	\$13 40	3 68	70 43	.....
Goose Creek Circuit.....	1	576	577	21	3	17	18	.....	5	5	8,000	1	800	200	196 00	500	.....	.....	.....	6	42	262	45 07	28 05	14 95	138 57	.....
Cokesbury Circuit.....	1	547	547	11	30	12	11	8	5	4	3,300	1	400	.....	55 00	1,500	.....	.....	.....	5	36	335	65 50	.....	10 00	100 50	.....
Granville & Pl't Gr.....	5	596	601	40	2	17	30	2	4	5	3,700	.....	.....	40	15 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	27	225	15 15	8 65	.....	23 80	.....
Dycus Circuit.....	3	602	605	20	.....	8	18	1	6	6	2,000	1	500	.....	100 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	21	225	15 00	.....	1 50	16 50	.....
Cookeville Mission.....	3	320	323	29	13	15	25	3	5	3	4,500	1	1,200	450	400 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	29	254	35 00	.....	7 00	68 00	.....
Gainesboro Mission.....	1	414	415	33	6	4	30	6	5	3 1/2	2,300	.....	.....	.....	.....	500	.....	.....	.....	4	25	231	18 21	.....	4 32	35 53	.....
Overton Mission.....	2	271	273	20	2	12	1	7	6 1/2	.....	1,800	.....	.....	.....	600 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	16	222	6 60	.....	3 25	13 35	.....
Obed River Mission.....	1	254	254	37	.....	106	23	.....	6	2 1/4	1,100	.....	.....	50	107 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	21	196	8 92	.....	4 11	13 03	.....
Monterey Mission.....	1	271	272	12	11	5	5	1	3	3	1,700	.....	.....	.....	190 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	25	250	25 00	12 45	5 75	43 20	.....
Livingston Mission.....	1	404	404	16	2	14	16	6	4	4	2,500	1	250	.....	10 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	15	225	16 00	.....	.....	16 00	.....
Total.....	23	7,634	7,657	318	145	307	260	34	90	80	\$73,180	8	\$13,175	\$2,945	\$5,056 30	\$5,500	1	32	\$1 50	71	468	4,269	\$658 08	\$62 55	\$89 91	\$1,069 46	\$5 97

CHARGE.	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		Bishops.		Conf. Claim'ts.		Foreign Missions.		Domestic Mis'ns.		Church Ext'n.		Education.		Paid for Publishing Journal.	Total Am't Raised for All Purposes.
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Asses'd.	Paid.	Asses'd.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Paid for Publishing Journal.	Total Am't Raised for All Purposes.
Lebanon Station.....	\$ 164 00	\$164 00	\$1,000 00	\$1,000 00	\$ 23 00	\$ 23 00	\$ 80 00	\$ 80 00	\$ 195 00	\$120 00	\$103 00	\$103 00	\$ 55 00	\$ 30 00	\$ 46 00	\$ 25 00	\$ 4 00	\$ 3,322 39
Lebanon Circuit.....	75 00	65 26	500 00	453 19	10 00	10 00	36 00	36 00	89 00	89 00	47 00	47 00	25 00	25 00	21 00	21 00	2 00	945 17
Jacob's Hill Circuit.....	45 00	43 00	430 00	397 00	6 00	6 00	22 00	10 00	54 00	10 00	28 00	20 00	15 00	.....	13 00	.....	1 00	995 80
Cainsville Mission.....	17 00	12 36	187 00	143 57	2 00	2 00	8 00	8 00	20 00	17 30	11 00	11 00	6 00	6 00	5 00	2 00	50	1,159 48
Alexandria & Liberty.....	81 00	81 00	600 00	600 00	11 00	10 00	39 00	10 00	96 00	15 00	51 00	30 00	27 00	20 00	23 00	5 00	1 00	2,001 35
Watertown Circuit.....	60 00	60 00	325 00	325 00	8 00	4 00	29 00	10 00	71 00	10 00	33 00	5 00	20 00	10 00	17 00	9 00	1 00	586 00
Smithville Circuit.....	30 00	23 16	342 50	300 00	4 00	4 00	15 00	12 00	36 00	30 00	19 00	16 00	10 00	4 25	8 00	8 00	1 50	602 66
Mt. Olivet Circuit.....	65 00	32 50	345 00	190 00	9 00	9 00	32 00	16 00	77 00	15 00	41 00	23 48	22 00	.....	18 00	.....	2 00	287 98
Carthage Circuit.....	75 00	58 70	500 00	391 27	10 00	10 00	36 00	36 00	89 00	60 00	47 00	47 00	25 00	25 00	21 00	21 00	2 00	1,100 77
Goose Creek Circuit.....	80 00	80 00	500 00	510 00	11 00	11 00	39 00	39 00	95 00	95 00	51 00	51 00	27 00	27 00	22 00	22 00	2 00	1,334 92
Cokesbury Circuit.....	50 00	47 75	300 00	275 25	7 00	7 00	24 00	24 00	60 00	60 00	32 00	32 00	17 00	17 00	14 00	14 00	1 00	553 00
Granville & Pl't Gr.....	55 00	41 59	435 00	323 98	8 00	5 00	27 00	10 00	65 00	17 00	35 00	18 00	19 00	8 00	15 00	3 90	1 20	424 77
Dycus Circuit.....	45 00	26 00	350 00	224 00	6 00	6 00	22 00	10 00	54 00	20 00	28 00	19 00	15 00	.....	13 00	3 00	1 00	447 00
Cookeville Mission.....	40 00	35 00	300 00	253 00	6 00	5 00	19 00	19 00	48 00	15 00	25 00	25 00	13 00	5 00	11 00	.....	1 00	383 00
Gainesboro Mission.....	26 00	26 00	160 00	160 00	4 00	4 00	13 00	13 00	31 00	31 00	16 00	16 00	9 00	9 00	7 00	7 00	1 00	381 00
Overton Mission.....	10 00	10 00	91 25	91 25	2 00	2 00	5 00	5 00	12 00	12 00	6 00	6 00	3 00	3 00	3 00	3 00	50	141 45
Obed River Mission.....	22 00	23 10	130 00	136 00	3 00	3 00	11 00	11 00	26 00	26 00	14 00	14 00	7 00	7 00	6 00	6 00	1 00	443 43
Monterey Mission.....	20 00	17 65	180 00	158 70	3 00	3 00	10 00	10 00	24 00	24 00	13 00	13 00	7 00	7 00	6 00	6 00	1 00	240 35
Livingston Mission.....	45 00	33 87	225 00	186 52	6 00	2 00	18 00	10 00	54 00	15 25	28 00	25 00	15 00	3 50	11 00	2 50	50	304 65
Total.....	\$1,000 00	\$880 94	\$6,900 75	\$6,118 73	\$139 00	\$124 00	\$485 00	\$361 00	\$1,190 00	\$681 55	\$630 00	\$521 48	\$336 00	\$206 75	\$280 00	\$158 40	\$24 70	\$15,708 14

\* District parsonage at Lebanon, \$3,000.



# MURFREESBORO DISTRICT.

CHARGE.	Local Preachers.	Members.	Total Members This Year.	Additions on Prof. of Faith.	Adds. by Certif. or Otherwise.	Removals: Death, Certificate, Etc.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Societies.	Churches.	Value of Churches.	Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Value of Other Church Property.	Money Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Insurance Carried.	Epworth Leagues.	Epworth League Members.	Total Raised by Leagues.	Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Amount Collected for Sunday Schools.	Amount Collected for Missions.	Amount Collected on Children's Day.	Total Amount Raised.	American Bible Society.
Murfreesboro.....	1	533	533	4	27	28	4	4	1	2	\$ 26,000	1	\$ 3,000	\$ 50	\$ 215 97	\$12,400	1	46	\$44 00	1	28	391	\$108 80	\$20 00	\$12 05	\$ 140 85	\$ 6 50
Stone's River Circuit.....	1	413	414	.....	7	13	.....	.....	5	5	6,800	1	1,000	.....	50 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	20	165	30 00	.....	12 05	42 05	1 00
Smyrna Circuit.....	.....	351	351	3	3	6	2	1	4	4	8,000	1	500	.....	600 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	18	300	30 00	3 50	11 30	119 80	.....
Rockvale Circuit.....	.....	421	421	21	1	17	21	2	4	4	2,300	1	600	.....	165 00	400	.....	.....	.....	2	10	125	12 00	.....	3 65	16 65	.....
Woodbury Mission.....	.....	161	161	6	5	.....	.....	.....	5	5	4,000	1	600	.....	335 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	20	85	15 00	.....	.....	15 00	.....
Walnut Grove Circuit.....	.....	353	353	22	5	26	20	2	4	4	4,000	.....	.....	100	73 85	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	23	160	22 15	1 89	1 98	48 02	3 15
Beech Grove and Neel Ct..	3	479	482	47	.....	18	29	.....	7	7	3,500	1	400	100	245 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	20	125	14 92	.....	8 75	23 67	1 00
Wartrace.....	.....	228	228	4	10	9	5	.....	2	2	4,000	1	1,200	.....	423 91	600	1	18	6 10	2	14	100	43 91	9 33	2 90	56 17	1 50
Shelbyville.....	1	310	311	31	19	9	19	3	1	1	15,000	.....	.....	1,000	.....	2,000	.....	.....	.....	1	15	160	64 28	.....	5 35	69 63	10 00
Duck River Mission.....	.....	445	445	17	6	12	9	2	6	5	2,600	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	20	200	20 00	.....	.....	20 00	.....
Manchester.....	.....	150	150	3	13	118	1	1	1	1	3,000	1	800	.....	45 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	10	91	28 00	.....	.....	28 00	.....
Hickory Creek Circuit.....	4	617	621	32	13	13	10	5	5	5	5,800	1	500	.....	102 25	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	35	260	68 37	5 00	14 50	110 87	.....
McMinnville Station.....	1	142	143	2	12	14	2	.....	1	1	18,000	1	2,500	75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	8	79	39 33	17 18	5 67	62 18	.....
McMinnville Circuit.....	2	564	566	14	7	55	12	5	7	7	2,400	1	650	40	87 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	28	350	28 00	.....	4 50	74 50	.....
Caney Fork Mission.....	1	450	451	80	4	7	63	3	9	4	1,525	.....	.....	25	5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	24	300	12 00	.....	1 00	14 00	1 35
Sparta Mission.....	1	385	386	17	35	17	10	12	5	4	2,400	1	600	.....	135 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	27	250	17 35	5 00	4 00	36 35	.....
Sparta and Bon Air.....	.....	286	286	18	2	2	11	4	3	2	5,500	1	650	.....	569 00	.....	2	43	5 00	3	39	250	61 00	9 10	7 21	84 30	1 00
Tullahoma.....	.....	322	322	7	22	56	5	6	2	2	8,000	.....	.....	.....	630 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	19	180	65 00	7 50	1 65	99 15	.....
Summitville Mission.....	2	409	411	27	23	18	25	15	4	4	2,500	.....	.....	.....	5 90	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	23	238	13 30	1 00	3 00	17 30	.....
Total.....	16	6,919	6,935	355	214	438	252	65	76	69	\$146,925	13	\$13,000	\$1,440	\$3,707 88	\$15,400	4	107	\$55 10	63	401	3,809	\$693 41	\$79 50	\$98 56	\$1,073 47	\$25 50

CHARGE.	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		Bishops.		Conf. Claim'n'ts.		Foreign Miss'ns.		Dom. Missions.		Church Ext'n.		Education.		Paid for Publishing Journal.	Total Amt. Raised for All Purposes.
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Asses'd.	Paid.	*Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Asses'd.	Paid.		
Murfreesboro.....	\$ 250 00	\$ 250 00	\$1,500 00	\$1,500 00	\$ 40 00	\$ 40 00	\$139 00	\$139 00	\$ 340 00	\$ 340 00	\$180 00	\$180 00	\$ 96 00	\$ 96 00	\$ 80 00	\$ 80 00	\$ 8 00	\$ 3,169 38
Stone's River Circuit.....	75 00	75 00	400 00	400 00	11 00	11 00	38 00	38 00	93 00	93 00	50 00	50 00	20 00	20 00	21 00	21 00	2 00	822 55
Smyrna Circuit.....	86 00	71 40	600 00	498 40	12 00	12 00	44 00	15 00	107 00	29 00	57 00	29 00	30 00	5 50	25 00	1 10	1 50	1,295 85
Rockvale Circuit.....	48 00	41 31	300 00	266 39	.....	6 00	24 00	8 00	60 00	20 00	32 00	25 00	17 00	7 00	14 00	3 00	1 00	585 53
Woodbury Mission.....	37 00	28 08	200 00	166 16	6 00	5 00	19 00	.....	47 00	5 00	24 00	15 00	13 00	5 00	11 00	.....	.....	570 00
Walnut Grove Circuit.....	86 00	74 85	500 00	439 44	12 00	10 00	44 00	25 00	108 00	40 00	57 00	35 00	30 00	10 00	25 00	10 00	.....	676 84
Beech Grove and Neel Ct..	64 00	49 10	345 00	321 70	.....	5 00	31 00	5 00	80 00	23 00	42 00	12 75	22 00	1 00	19 00	1 00	1 50	420 45
Wartrace.....	83 00	68 50	500 00	412 83	12 00	12 00	42 00	30 00	103 00	40 00	54 00	36 62	29 00	15 00	24 00	15 00	2 50	1,278 59
Shelbyville.....	109 00	100 00	600 00	600 00	16 00	14 00	56 00	40 75	136 00	33 00	72 00	35 00	38 00	16 00	32 00	11 00	2 00	1,373 64
Duck River Mission.....	23 00	14 80	207 00	134 56	3 00	3 00	12 00	6 15	28 00	8 00	14 00	14 00	8 00	.....	7 00	.....	30	350 00
Manchester.....	75 00	75 00	400 00	440 00	11 00	8 00	38 00	20 00	93 00	25 00	50 00	20 00	20 00	10 00	22 00	5 00	2 00	678 00
Hickory Creek Circuit.....	96 00	85 89	500 00	466 61	14 00	10 00	49 00	30 50	120 00	76 00	68 00	40 00	34 00	5 00	28 00	2 00	1 00	907 12
McMinnville Station.....	127 00	100 00	700 00	600 77	19 00	15 00	65 00	55 00	159 00	73 06	84 00	75 60	45 00	10 00	37 00	.....	.....	1,131 06
McMinnville Circuit.....	48 00	37 65	315 00	264 65	7 00	5 40	24 00	12 50	60 00	20 00	32 00	16 00	17 00	5 00	14 00	.....	20	522 90
Caney Fork Mission.....	20 00	10 00	120 00	60 00	3 00	3 00	10 00	10 00	25 00	25 00	13 00	13 00	7 00	7 00	6 00	6 00	1 00	190 35
Sparta Mission.....	37 00	37 00	231 00	231 00	6 00	6 00	19 00	10 00	47 00	25 00	24 00	24 00	13 00	2 50	11 00	2 00	1 00	370 00
Sparta and Bon Air.....	109 00	109 00	600 00	600 00	16 00	16 00	56 00	56 00	136 00	75 00	72 00	72 00	38 00	11 21	32 00	5 00	3 00	1,972 50
Tullahoma.....	86 00	61 50	500 00	400 00	12 00	6 50	44 00	23 00	107 00	60 00	57 00	40 00	30 00	14 00	25 00	10 00	1 00	1,099 55
Summitville Mission.....	23 00	12 45	150 00	113 15	3 00	3 00	12 00	5 00	28 00	14 50	14 00	10 00	8 00	.....	7 00	.....	1 00	206 30
Total.....	\$1,482 00	\$1,301 53	\$8,668 00	\$7,915 66	\$219 00	\$190 90	\$766 00	\$528 90	\$1,870 00	\$1,024 56	\$990 00	\$742 97	\$515 00	\$240 21	\$440 00	\$172 10	\$29 00	\$17,720 61



# FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

CHARGE.	Local Preachers.	Members.	Total Members.	Addit'ns on Prof. of Faith.	Adds. by Certif. and Otherwise.	Removals: Death, Certificate, Etc.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized	Societies.	Churches.	Value of Churches.	Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Value of Other Church Property.	Money Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Insurance Carried.	Epworth Leagues.	Epworth League Members.	Total Raised by Leagues.	Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Amount Collected for Sunday Schools.	Amount Collected for Missions.	Amount Collected on Children's Day.	Total Amount Raised.	American Bible Society.
Fayetteville Station.....	3	242	245	9	12	24	5	2	1	1	\$ 8,000	1	\$ 1,500		\$ 315 00	\$ 4,500	1	15	\$ 1 50	1	11	142	\$ 86 12	\$ 24 26	\$ 5 00	\$127 38	.....
Fayetteville and Liberty Mis	1	558	559	21	8	6	21	2	2	6	5,000	1	550		68 00		1	40	5 00	3	13	170	29 70		4 00	33 70	.....
Blanche Circuit.....		479	479	89	4	13	89	2	5	4 1/2	3,000	1	500	\$100 00	70 00					3	20	200	23 00		3 95	26 95	.....
Medium Circuit.....	4	555	559	5	34	6	27	2	4	4	4,700	1	800		300 00					4	25	175	16 50		5 50	22 00	\$ 2 00
Belfast.....		400	400	7	2	11	6		4	4	3,000				60 00					3	23	170	15 00		6 00	21 00	.....
Cornersville and New Hope..	1	333	334	4	2	9	4	4	2	2	2,500	1	800		5 00					2	12	90	33 20	3 50	4 05	30 75	.....
Lewisburg and Petersburg..		255	255	13	14	12	2	1	2	2	9,000				461 65	3,000				2	24	200	50 00	18 00		88 71	1 84
Lynchburg Circuit.....	3	330	333	14	8	20	8		6	6	4,500	1	500	75 00	150 00	1,000				2	10	60	12 25			13 78	.....
Huntland Circuit.....		527	527						6	5 1/2	3,350	1	500		145 00					4	20	250	20 17		3 05	23 22	.....
Marble Plains Circuit.....	1	424	425	31	23	16	33	3	5	5	2,400	1	300							4	18	180	25 00		4 00	37 50	.....
Winchester.....	2	241	243	28	28	30	17	7	1	1	10,000	1	1,000		4,509 58	4,500	1	40	5 61	1	13	170	106 61	27 51	4 50	138 62	5 00
Hillsboro Mission.....	3	491	494	12	32	18	8	10	7	7	3,000	1	500		5 50					7	40	272	20 67		3 00	23 67	.....
Mont Eagle Circuit.....	3	576	579	90	40	5	44	4	7	4	2,000	1	500							6	36	343	37 76	7 48	8 51	53 75	2 15
Tracy City and Altamont....	3	500	503	125		7	65	11	3	1	1,400	1	800		147 00	1,500	2	141	2 10	1	19	245	85 81		5 08	90 89	95
Bellbuckle.....		259	259	26	28	139	11	2	1	1	6,000	1	1,000		15 00	5,800				2	21	159	46 84	12 02	5 11	63 97	1 09
Rich Valley Circuit.....		317	317	7		5	7		4	4	5,500	1	2,500		25 00					2	10	75	4 45		9 32	13 77	3 61
Unionville.....		442	442	5	4	7	31	2	5	5	2,600	1	800	100 00						3	27	190	23 70		2 32	26 02	.....
Decherd and Estill Springs.	1	224	225	15	13	4	10	4	3	3	4,000				150 00					3	15	200	25 00	5 60	6 38	36 38	.....
Total.....	25	7,153	7,178	501	252	332	388	59	73	66	\$79,950	15	\$12,550	\$275 00	\$6,426 73	\$19,500	5	236	\$14 21	53	354	3,291	\$651 78	\$99 90	\$80 48	\$872 66	\$16 64

CHARGE.	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		Bishops.		Conf. Claim'ts.		Foreign Miss'ns.		Dom. Missions.		Church Ext'n.		Education.		Paid for Publishing Journal.	Total Amt Raised for All Purposes.
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Asses'd.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Asses'd.	Paid.	Asses'd.	Paid.		
Fayetteville Station.....	\$ 127 55	\$ 127 35	\$ 800 00	\$ 800 00	\$ 16 80	\$ 16 80	\$ 60 00	\$ 60 00	\$ 148 80	\$148 80	\$ 78 40	\$ 78 40	\$ 41 60	\$ 41 60	\$ 35 00	\$ 35 00	\$ 3 50	\$ 1,917 88
Fayetteville and Liberty Mis	60 70	58 82	422 00	393 68	8 40	5 50	30 00	5 25	74 40	10 00	39 20	19 50	20 80	3 75	17 50	2 50	1 75	683 25
Blanche Circuit.....	71 00	71 00	514 00	514 00	10 95	10 95	37 60	37 60	88 35	88 35	46 80	46 80	25 95	25 95	20 50	20 50	2 05	1,044 05
Medium Circuit.....	85 00	83 25	600 00	575 00	12 85	12 00	45 00	24 00	111 60	20 00	58 80	20 00	31 20	15 00	26 40	10 00		1,305 25
Belfast.....	38 15	26 34	300 00	206 76	5 45	5 45	19 50		48 35		25 50	22 25	13 50		11 45		2 00	328 35
Cornersville and New Hope..	73 00	73 00	500 00	500 00	10 70	10 76	37 50	16 50	93 00	25 00	49 00	25 00	26 00	5 00	22 00	5 00	2 24	889 50
Lewisburg and Petersburg..	98 25	98 25	620 00	620 00	14 30	5 00	50 25	23 00	124 60	84 97	65 65	43 00	34 85	5 00	29 50	7 35	2 95	1,664 07
Lynchburg Circuit.....	46 00	29 14	375 00	342 67	7 55	2 00	24 50	4 00	55 80	14 00	29 40	17 00	15 60		13 20		50	552 31
Huntland Circuit.....	66 00	48 70	315 00	256 71	9 45		33 75		86 60	18 30	44 10		23 40		19 80			497 38
Marble Plains Circuit.....	45 45	39 70	300 00	256 00	6 75	5 00	24 05	10 75	57 65	15 00	30 40	15 00	16 10	5 00	13 00	4 00	1 30	486 25
Winchester.....	103 00	103 00	1,000 00	1,000 00	14 70	14 70	52 50	52 50	130 20	130 20	69 60	69 60	37 40	37 40	30 80	30 80	3 10	6,346 13
Hillsboro Mission.....	38 85	37 37	240 00	230 48	5 80	4 00	19 85	5 00	49 30	13 00	26 00	17 00	13 80		11 00		1 00	360 52
Mont Eagle Circuit.....	57 20	40 20	335 00	235 10	8 45	3 00	29 25	2 75	72 55	29 35	38 20	7 00	20 30	1 00	17 15	1 00	78	352 33
Tracy City and Altamont....	105 00	105 00	750 00	687 50	15 75		50 25		139 50		73 50		39 00		33 00		3 30	1,106 09
Bellbuckle.....	146 65	115 00	1,000 00	1,000 00	21 00	21 00	75 00	75 00	186 00	164 80	98 00	85 00	52 00		44 00	21 00	3 20	1,879 81
Rich Valley Circuit.....	68 00	60 70	500 00	447 60	11 45	11 45	35 75	35 75	83 74	50 00	46 10	40 00	25 40	11 00	19 00	11 00	2 00	733 11
Unionville.....	66 75	42 55	450 00	284 80	9 80	9 80	34 10	25 00	84 65	25 00	44 60	25 00	23 65	5 75	20 00		2 00	459 82
Decherd and Estill Springs..	55 00	21 70	400 00	175 10	7 85	6 00	28 15	5 00	69 75	10 00	36 75	10 00	19 45		16 50		1 00	478 08
Total.....	\$1,351 35	\$1,181 07	\$9,421 00	\$8,525 40	\$198 00	\$143 41	\$693 00	\$382 10	\$1,700 00	\$846 77	\$900 00	\$540 55	\$480 00	\$156 45	\$400 00	\$148 15	\$29 37	\$21,384 18

\* Paid for Twentieth Century Fund, \$15.

## COLUMBIA DISTRICT.

CHARGE.	Local Preachers.	Members.	Total Members This Year.	Add'l's on Prof. of Faith.	Adds. by Certif. and Otherwise.	Removals: Death, Certificate, Etc.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Societies.	Churches.	Value of Churches.	Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Value of Other Church Property.	Money Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Insurance Carried.	Epworth Leagues.	Epworth League Members.	Total Raised by Leagues.	Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Amount Collected for Sunday Schools.	Amount Collected for Missions.	Amount Collected on Children's Day.	Total Amount Raised.	American Bible Society.
Columbia.....	1	496	497	13	38	30	6	2	1	1	\$ 18,000	1	\$ 3,000	.....	\$ 120 25	\$10,500	.....	.....	.....	1	26	358	\$194 14	\$ 60 00	.....	\$ 269 14	.....
South Columbia.....	.....	367	367	26	20	29	19	4	2	2	2,600	2	1,800	\$ 200	152 00	1,600	2	50	\$140 00	2	21	200	59 60	25 25	\$ 9 35	151 20	\$ 3 00
Mount Pleasant.....	.....	312	312	7	7	25	4	5	1	1	10,000	1	4,000	300	178 50	5,200	1	32	78 70	2	15	152	63 94	25 23	10 00	99 17	.....
Culleoka and Burke's.....	1	225	226	5	2	12	3	1	2	2	4,000	1	750	.....	115 75	1,000	.....	.....	.....	2	15	150	16 60	3 90	.....	46 62	.....
Bigbyville Circuit.....	.....	309	309	1	10	16	.....	.....	4	4	7,300	1	1,000	.....	53 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	17	175	16 50	.....	3 00	19 50	1 50
Mooreville Circuit.....	.....	260	260	3	5	37	3	.....	4	4	4,000	1	690	.....	16 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	18	134	13 60	.....	6 95	20 55	4 40
Pulaski.....	1	598	599	12	11	34	6	5	1	1	22,000	.....	.....	7,309	.....	13,000	1	18	.....	1	27	356	127 99	.....	14 50	142 49	.....
Lynnville and Taylor's.....	1	384	385	5	6	6	.....	.....	2	2	2,500	1	1,000	.....	15 35	1,800	.....	.....	.....	2	15	170	78 00	33 48	9 69	111 49	.....
Big Creek Circuit.....	.....	420	420	47	14	7	28	5	3	3	4,500	1	1,200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	24	175	16 20	.....	10 00	26 20	1 00
Trinity Circuit.....	1	659	660	78	8	16	61	3	5	5	3,000	1	700	.....	500 00	.....	1	36	40 00	4	28	160	26 00	.....	2 00	28 00	.....
Prospect and Pleasant Hill.....	1	313	314	39	5	14	23	4	2	2	1,600	.....	.....	300	12 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	23	190	22 25	.....	7 05	40 17	1 00
Bethel Circuit.....	1	570	571	45	19	15	34	1	4	4	4,700	1	650	.....	378 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	31	406	24 00	3 54	5 50	53 04	.....
Richland Circuit.....	.....	374	374	31	11	13	26	1	4	4	3,660	1	1,100	.....	10 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	21	186	41 00	4 76	9 30	55 06	2 25
Pisgah Circuit.....	4	608	612	30	10	21	15	7	4	4	5,125	1	1,000	.....	115 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	24	213	29 68	2 44	7 50	39 62	.....
Diana Circuit.....	.....	458	458	50	10	16	47	.....	4	4	5,000	1	1,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	21	170	18 33	.....	5 92	24 25	.....
Dellrose and Shiloh.....	.....	301	301	36	.....	12	26	14	2	2	2,400	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	20	272	20 00	1 00	2 00	23 00	.....
Elkton and Bee Springs.....	.....	466	466	31	9	19	23	4	3	3	2,100	2	1,200	.....	138 26	.....	1	28	4 00	3	30	310	38 59	16 25	13 15	67 99	3 50
Marcella Falls Mission.....	.....	127	127	20	5	2	15	.....	4	4	1,500	.....	.....	.....	380 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	15	108	15 50	.....	4 85	20 35	1 00
Total.....	11	7,247	7,258	479	190	324	345	56	52	52	\$108,925	16	\$19,090	\$8,109	\$2,237 11	\$33,150	6	164	\$262 70	52	391	3,885	\$841 82	\$176 72	\$120 76	\$1,267 42	\$17 65

CHARGE.	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		Bishops.		Conf. Clam'ts.		Foreign Missions.		Dom. Missions.		Church Exte'n.		Education.		Paid for Publishing Journal.	Total Amt Raised for All Purposes.
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.		
Columbia.....	\$ 200 00	\$ 200 00	\$ 1,500 00	\$ 1,500 00	\$ 33 00	\$ 33 00	\$121 00	\$121 00	\$ 288 00	\$ 288 00	\$156 00	\$156 00	\$ 99 00	\$ 99 00	\$ 54 00	\$ 54 00	\$ 7 00	\$ 3,544 68
South Columbia.....	60 00	60 00	600 00	600 00	8 00	8 00	28 00	33 00	71 00	71 00	30 00	30 00	29 00	29 00	19 00	19 00	1 50	1,361 20
Mount Pleasant.....	126 50	126 50	1,000 00	1,000 00	19 00	19 00	64 00	64 00	156 00	156 00	83 00	83 00	62 00	62 00	37 00	37 00	4 00	2,376 44
Culleoka and Burke's.....	69 00	69 00	500 00	500 00	9 00	9 00	28 00	28 00	74 00	31 00	38 00	25 00	31 00	5 00	21 00	9 00	12 00	678 00
Bigbyville Circuit.....	60 00	45 00	400 00	323 00	10 00	8 00	36 00	25 55	86 00	39 45	47 00	25 00	30 00	15 00	16 00	5 00	2 00	606 50
Mooreville Circuit.....	61 50	54 55	438 50	381 25	8 00	8 00	32 00	32 00	76 00	44 66	41 00	41 00	29 00	29 00	19 00	19 00	1 00	671 73
Pulaski.....	207 50	207 50	1,400 00	1,400 00	33 00	33 00	122 00	127 60	292 00	292 00	158 00	158 00	100 00	100 10	54 00	54 00	7 00	3,303 69
Lynnville and Taylor's.....	50 00	50 00	500 00	500 00	8 00	8 00	30 00	30 00	72 00	72 00	39 00	39 00	25 00	25 00	13 00	13 00	2 00	961 99
Big Creek Circuit.....	100 00	96 75	600 00	580 55	15 00	15 00	48 00	48 00	121 00	112 85	63 00	60 00	48 00	25 00	30 00	20 00	4 00	1,041 15
Trinity Circuit.....	50 00	50 00	425 00	425 00	6 00	6 00	19 00	19 00	51 00	51 00	25 00	25 00	23 00	23 00	17 00	17 00	1 00	1,206 00
Prospect and Pleasant Hill.....	50 00	50 00	350 00	350 00	7 00	7 00	23 00	23 00	57 00	57 00	36 00	36 00	24 00	24 00	16 00	16 00	1 00	692 30
Bethel Circuit.....	60 00	52 08	420 00	367 89	8 00	8 00	30 00	13 00	74 00	42 00	39 00	39 00	29 00	.....	19 00	6 00	1 00	563 97
Richland Circuit.....	76 00	63 74	500 00	418 60	9 00	9 00	34 00	34 00	84 00	30 00	43 00	25 00	36 00	2 50	24 00	10 00	2 00	873 05
Pisgah Circuit.....	84 00	84 00	500 00	500 00	11 00	6 00	38 00	28 00	95 00	50 00	49 00	35 00	42 00	25 00	14 00	2 00	2 00	794 00
Diana Circuit.....	84 00	78 70	500 00	470 00	11 00	11 00	36 00	30 00	91 00	50 00	48 00	30 00	42 00	10 00	26 00	5 00	2 00	723 95
Dellrose and Shiloh.....	51 50	51 50	400 00	400 00	6 00	6 00	19 00	19 00	49 00	49 00	25 00	25 00	24 00	24 00	17 00	17 00	1 00	625 50
Elkton and Bee Springs.....	100 00	100 00	600 00	600 00	15 00	15 00	48 00	40 00	121 00	62 78	63 00	50 00	48 00	10 00	30 00	10 00	4 00	1,169 28
Marcella Falls Mission.....	10 00	8 71	150 00	130 79	2 00	2 50	6 00	6 00	12 00	12 00	7 00	11 00	5 00	5 00	3 00	3 00	50	585 35
Total.....	\$1,500 00	\$1,448 08	\$10,783 50	\$10,447 08	\$218 00	\$211 50	\$762 00	\$723 15	\$1,870 00	\$1,510 74	\$990 00	\$893 00	\$726 00	\$512 60	\$440 00	\$328 00	\$45 00	\$21,778 78

\*Paid for Twentieth Century Fund, \$2. †The total assessment should have been \$528.

# FRANKLIN DISTRICT.

CHARGE.	Local Preachers.	Members.	Total Members.	Add'tns on Prof. of Falth.	Adds. by Certit. and Otherwise.	Removals; Death, Certificate, Etc.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Societies.	No. of Churches.	Value of Churches.	Parsonages.	Value of Parson-ages.	Value of Other Church Prop-erty.	Money Expended for Churches and Parson-ages.	Insurance Car-ried.	Epworth Leagues.	Epworth League Members.	Total Raised by Leagues.	Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Amount Collect-ed for Sunday Schools.	Amount Collect-ed for Missions.	Amount Collect-ed on Chil-dren's Day.	Total Amount Raised.	American Bible Society.
Franklin Station.....	1	428	429	.....	18	43	.....	33	1	1	\$16,500	1	\$3,000	.....	\$1,208 55	\$13,200	1	21	.....	1	20	241	\$ 59 67	\$ 23 73	\$ 6 70	\$ 90 10	\$ 7 77
Franklin Circuit.....	2	387	390	.....	7	23	.....	4	4	4	5,600	1	1,000	.....	104 80	1,000	.....	.....	.....	3	26	165	29 50	4 95	13 80	47 80	4 35
Williamson Circuit.....	2	419	421	3	15	37	5	7	4	4	7,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....	.....	.....	4	27	213	24 06	5 87	6 90	62 18	1 00
Thompson Circuit.....	.....	470	470	32	17	14	18	11	4	4	5,500	1	1,200	.....	1,525 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	20	160	39 04	57 35	25 25	122 69	2 50
Spring Hill.....	2	144	146	11	15	14	7	2	1	1	5,750	1	1,800	.....	395 22	4,000	1	30	\$ 8 00	1	10	130	63 90	20 54	2 00	86 44	1 69
Brentwood Circuit.....	1	210	211	6	8	4	4	.....	3	3	8,000	1	2,000	\$150 00	217 65	4,500	.....	.....	.....	3	17	115	30 27	.....	9 55	39 82	3 00
Bethesda Circuit.....	.....	396	396	27	18	9	15	5	4	4	5,800	1	400	.....	132 75	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	26	200	30 00	.....	8 58	38 58	2 25
Nolensville Circuit.....	2	599	601	13	17	16	13	1	4	4	5,300	1	1,200	100 00	266 08	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	30	320	47 50	3 04	25 30	75 84	1 50
Alexander Circuit.....	6	476	482	12	2	6	6	5	4	4	3,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	10	140	22 60	.....	15 00	37 60	.....
Santa Fe Circuit.....	1	335	336	18	19	11	16	1	4	3 1/4	4,550	.....	.....	.....	6 00	1,000	.....	.....	.....	3	19	125	28 21	.....	2 90	32 11	4 35
College Grove and Triune...	.....	237	237	12	7	11	9	.....	2	2	6,500	1	500	.....	44 45	.....	1	65	23 00	2	21	217	29 55	6 74	9 55	45 84	2 46
Chapel Hill and Caney Spr's	.....	310	310	8	.....	19	4	4	3	3	2,600	1	800	.....	206 00	.....	1	34	1 50	2	17	171	24 28	.....	9 38	33 66	5 35
Farmington Circuit.....	1	516	517	24	5	31	17	10	4	4	3,800	1	350	.....	112 76	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	30	204	37 35	5 04	13 86	56 25	1 50
Wesley Circuit.....	.....	353	353	4	25	18	3	1	4	4	4,000	.....	.....	.....	125 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	16	175	20 00	2 50	7 50	30 00	2 50
Fernvale Mission.....	1	263	264	12	.....	5	8	4	4	3	2,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	500	.....	.....	.....	4	12	160	6 27	4 00	10 00	20 27	.....
Almaville Mission.....	1	124	125	5	5	5	5	8	3	3	1,900	1	400	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	12	100	6 00	.....	1 41	9 62	.....
Total.....	21	5,667	5,688	178	194	266	137	64	53	51 1/4	\$87,750	11	\$12,650	\$250 00	\$4,344 26	\$25,200	4	150	\$32 50	49	313	2,836	\$508 20	\$133 76	\$167 68	\$828 80	\$40 22

CHARGE.	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		Bishops.		Conf. Claim'n'ts.		Foreign Missions.		Dom. Missions.		Church Ext'n.		Education.		Paid for Publishing Journal.	Total Am't Raised for All Pur-poses.
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Asses'd.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Asses'd.	Paid.		
Franklin Station.....	\$ 177 60	\$ 177 60	\$1,200 00	\$1,200 00	\$ 26 35	\$ 26 50	\$ 92 30	\$ 92 30	\$ 226 50	\$ 226 50	\$119 90	\$119 90	\$ 63 85	\$ 63 85	\$ 53 30	\$ 53 30	\$ 5 35	\$ 3,787 29
Franklin Circuit.....	84 00	84 00	600 00	600 00	12 45	12 45	43 65	43 65	107 10	107 10	56 70	56 70	30 25	30 25	25 20	25 20	22 50	1,265 85
Williamson Circuit.....	75 00	75 00	500 00	500 00	11 15	11 15	39 00	39 00	95 60	95 60	50 60	50 60	27 00	16 40	22 50	13 00	22 25	866 08
Thompson Circuit.....	96 00	96 00	600 00	600 00	14 25	14 25	49 90	49 90	122 40	122 40	64 80	64 80	34 45	34 45	28 80	28 80	22 85	2,781 79
Spring Hill.....	87 00	87 00	600 00	600 00	12 90	12 90	45 20	45 20	111 00	111 00	58 75	58 75	31 30	31 30	26 10	26 10	22 60	4,730 00
Brentwood Circuit.....	78 00	64 00	500 00	461 30	11 55	11 55	40 55	25 00	99 45	47 00	52 65	39 00	28 10	18 00	23 40	14 00	22 35	814 97
Bethesda Circuit.....	66 00	66 00	450 00	450 00	9 80	10 00	34 30	35 00	84 15	85 00	44 55	45 00	23 75	24 00	19 80	20 00	22 00	1,021 08
Nolensville Circuit.....	74 40	74 40	500 00	500 00	11 00	11 00	38 65	38 85	94 85	94 85	50 20	50 20	26 80	26 80	22 30	22 30	22 25	1,381 00
Alexander Circuit.....	54 00	50 55	410 00	383 25	8 00	8 00	28 05	23 55	68 85	55 00	36 45	36 45	19 45	16 00	16 20	13 00	1 65	847 97
Santa Fe Circuit.....	66 00	64 47	450 00	439 28	9 80	9 80	34 30	34 30	84 15	75 00	44 55	44 55	23 75	20 00	19 80	10 62	1 95	840 13
College Grove and Triune...	72 00	72 00	450 00	450 00	10 70	10 70	37 40	37 40	91 80	91 80	48 60	48 60	25 90	25 90	21 60	21 60	22 15	987 70
Chapel Hill and Caney Spr's	84 00	67 00	561 00	465 00	12 45	12 50	43 65	43 65	107 10	36 05	56 70	56 70	30 25	5 00	25 20	12 00	22 50	811 97
Farmington Circuit.....	81 00	81 00	500 00	500 00	12 00	12 50	42 10	42 10	103 25	60 00	54 70	54 70	29 15	15 00	24 30	10 00	22 45	1,281 72
Wesley Circuit.....	75 00	75 00	400 00	400 00	11 15	11 15	39 00	39 00	95 60	43 00	50 60	50 60	27 00	10 00	22 50	8 00	22 25	709 00
Fernvale Mission.....	15 00	9 00	105 00	78 00	2 25	2 25	7 85	7 85	19 10	19 10	10 15	10 15	5 50	5 50	4 50	4 50	45	137 55
Almaville Mission.....	15 00	15 00	110 00	110 00	2 20	2 20	7 80	7 80	19 10	19 10	10 15	10 25	5 50	5 50	4 50	4 50	50	242 32
Total.....	\$1,200 00	\$1,157 42	\$7,936 00	\$7,736 83	\$178 00	\$178 90	\$623 70	\$604 55	\$1,530 00	\$1,288 40	\$810 00	\$796 95	\$432 00	\$347 95	\$360 00	\$287 07	\$36 05	\$22,506 42

## SAVANNAH DISTRICT.

CHARGE.	Local Preachers.	Members.	Total Members.	Add'ts on Prof. of Faith.	Adds. by Certif. and Otherwise.	Removals: Death, Certificate, Etc.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Societies.	Churches.	Value of Churches.	Parsonages.	Value of Parson-ages.	Value of Other Church Prop-erty.	Money Expended for Churches and Parson-ages.	Insurance Car-ried.	Epworth Leagues.	Epworth League Members.	Total Raised by Leagues.	Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Amount Collect-ed for Sunday Schools.	Amount Collect-ed for Missions.	Amount Collect-ed on Chil-dren's Day.	Total Amount Raised.	American Bible Society.
Savannah Station .....	205	205	.....	1	11	.....	3	1	1	1	\$ 5,000	1	\$1,500	\$250	\$ 85 00	\$3,000	2	58	\$12 00	1	18	155	\$ 96 50	\$ 30 00	\$ 3 50	\$142 00	\$ 6 00
Savannah Circuit.....	165	165	.....	5	3	8	2	2	4	4	1,200	.....	1,200	75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	15	200	8 80	1 00	.....	9 80	1 00
Nixon Circuit.....	222	224	.....	2	7	89	2	2	4	3	1,350	1	500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	14	98	10 00	2 25	14 25	.....	
Lowryville Circuit.....	4	212	216	8	2	5	3	1	10	4	750	1	400	.....	40 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	20	241	7 00	.....	7 00	.....	
Waynesboro Circuit.....	214	214	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300	1	500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	15	125	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Clifton and Duncan .....	187	187	10	3	6	10	.....	2	2	2	1,480	.....	.....	.....	100 00	.....	2	39	6 50	2	14	80	36 40	10 92	5 00	52 32	.....
Mount Auburn Circuit.....	1	448	449	23	5	23	.....	5	5	5	1,380	1	600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	15	150	12 00	13 00	.....	25 00	.....
Linden Circuit.....	2	398	400	5	5	11	33	5	5	2	3,000	1	400	100	50 00	2,000	.....	.....	.....	4	14	170	20 00	.....	2 56	27 56	.....
Lobleville Circuit.....	1	189	190	18	6	9	13	1	6	2	1,800	.....	.....	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	5	50	5 00	.....	1 50	6 50	1 00
Kimmins Mission.....	1	108	109	4	4	.....	4	.....	2½	.....	800	1	200	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	9	100	2 00	.....	1 00	3 00	.....
Hohenwald Mission.....	69	69	13	2	.....	10	.....	4	1	1	500	1	225	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	9	70	5 76	.....	5 76	.....	.....
Williamsport Circuit.....	303	303	5	.....	4	.....	7	3	2	2	4,000	1	800	141 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	16	175	30 00	15 00	10 00	50 00	2 00
Hampshire and C's Bridges	1	246	247	.....	1	8	.....	3	3	3	3,600	1	1,000	50	.....	.....	1	15	.....	3	18	111	6 19	77	7 00	23 96	4 06
Sandy Hook and Bethel.....	142	142	2	.....	5	.....	2	1	.....	.....	800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	10	66	8 60	.....	8 60	94	.....
Napier Mission.....	2	244	246	36	20	4	7	1	5	.....	1	125	15	75 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	15	135	12 00	.....	50	12 50	.....
Ethridge Mission.....	2	247	247	26	21	9	22	16	4	3	2,600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	15	110	15 00	2 50	2 26	19 76	1 85
Lawrenceburg.....	1	112	113	13	8	4	9	1	1	1	1,500	1	800	92 20	.....	.....	1	20	3 30	1	9	60	16 40	11 60	2 50	30 50	.....
West Point Circuit.....	2	205	207	8	4	18	6	6	4	4	2,850	1	625	19 00	.....	.....	1	23	2 00	4	12	104	10 00	2 55	1 86	14 35	1 00
Iron City Mission.....	1	64	65	16	1	.....	16	.....	2	2	600	.....	.....	75 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	6	50	4 00	.....	4 00	.....	.....
Total.....	18	3,980	3,998	194	88	196	160	39	69	44½	\$33,510	13	\$7,225	\$518	\$677 70	\$5,000	7	155	\$23 80	48	249	2,249	\$315 65	\$87 34	\$39 93	\$456 86	\$18 35

CHARGE.	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		Bishops.		Conf. Claim'ts.		Foreign Miss'ns.		Dom. Missions.		Church Ext'n.		Education.		Paid for Publishing Journal.	Total Am't Raised for All Purposes.
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Asses'd.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Asses'd.	Paid.	Asses'd.	Paid.		
Savannah Station *.....	\$ 95 00	\$ 95 00	\$ 600 00	\$ 600 00	\$10 00	\$10 00	\$ 35 20	\$ 35 20	\$ 85 00	\$ 85 00	\$ 45 00	\$ 45 00	\$ 24 00	\$ 24 00	\$ 20 00	\$ 20 00	\$ 2 00	\$1,621 20
Savannah Circuit.....	35 00	28 10	120 00	96 77	3 00	3 00	12 00	2 25	26 00	2 00	15 00	10 00	8 00	1 00	7 00	1 00	75	173 02
Nixon Circuit.....	35 00	23 15	165 00	109 15	3 00	3 00	11 00	2 00	26 00	5 90	13 00	6 50	6 00	2 00	6 00	1 00	60	167 55
Lowryville Circuit.....	45 00	15 00	275 00	112 40	4 00	4 00	15 00	5 50	35 00	.....	20 00	.....	9 00	.....	8 00	.....	80	184 70
Waynesboro Circuit.....	30 00	10 00	300 00	105 00	3 00	3 00	12 00	.....	26 00	.....	14 00	1 05	7 00	.....	6 00	.....	60	119 05
Clifton and Duncan .....	35 00	28 50	180 00	146 20	4 00	4 00	14 00	14 00	34 00	32 00	17 00	17 00	9 00	9 00	7 00	7 00	75	258 45
Mount Auburn Circuit.....	45 00	37 60	250 00	222 06	4 00	4 00	15 00	10 00	35 00	25 10	20 00	20 00	11 00	.....	9 00	.....	90	346 72
Linden Circuit .....	45 00	29 60	350 00	244 28	5 00	5 00	17 00	5 50	42 00	15 00	21 00	21 00	11 00	5 00	10 00	5 00	1 00	381 28
Lobleville Circuit .....	45 00	32 00	305 00	218 00	5 00	5 00	17 00	.....	42 00	10 00	21 00	10 00	11 00	2 50	10 00	2 50	1 00	290 00
Kimmins Mission.....	32 00	32 00	155 00	155 00	3 00	3 00	11 00	5 00	27 00	10 00	15 00	15 00	8 00	5 00	6 00	2 00	.....	217 00
Hohenwald Mission.....	20 00	13 47	100 00	65 48	2 00	2 00	7 00	7 00	17 00	17 00	9 00	9 00	9 00	4 00	4 00	3 15	45	127 31
Williamsport Circuit.....	75 00	75 00	450 00	450 00	7 00	7 00	25 00	25 00	56 00	56 00	32 00	32 00	20 00	20 00	14 00	14 00	1 40	720 65
Hampshire and C's Bridges	85 00	85 00	525 00	525 00	9 00	9 00	27 00	27 00	74 00	42 00	40 00	23 00	21 00	10 00	18 00	18 00	1 80	746 36
Sandy Hook and Bethel.....	20 00	11 23	160 00	92 80	2 00	2 00	7 00	2 10	17 00	12 15	9 00	7 00	5 00	2 35	4 00	2 00	40	155 42
Napier Mission.....	18 00	14 60	130 00	104 70	2 00	2 00	7 00	7 00	17 00	11 60	9 00	9 00	5 00	5 00	4 00	4 00	40	246 30
Ethridge Mission.....	35 00	24 00	275 00	223 70	3 00	3 00	10 00	10 00	26 00	26 00	14 00	14 00	7 00	7 00	6 00	6 00	60	375 46
Lawrenceburg.....	45 00	35 05	350 00	273 70	4 00	4 00	14 00	14 00	35 00	35 00	20 00	20 00	10 00	10 00	9 00	9 00	90	492 95
West Point Circuit.....	45 00	24 84	405 00	223 64	4 00	4 00	13 00	10 00	34 00	6 00	18 00	10 00	10 00	5 00	8 00	6 00	80	330 88
Iron City Mission.....	10 00	10 00	90 00	86 00	1 00	1 00	3 00	3 00	8 00	8 00	4 00	4 00	3 00	3 00	2 00	.....	20	194 20
Total.....	\$795 00	\$624 14	\$5,185 00	\$4,051 88	\$78 00	\$78 00	\$272 20	\$184 55	\$672 00	\$398 75	\$356 00	\$273 55	\$194 00	\$114 85	\$158 00	\$100 65	\$12 95	\$7,148 50

\* Paid for Twentieth Century Fund, \$25.



# DICKSON DISTRICT.

CHARGE.	Local Preachers.	Members.	Total Members.	Add'tns on Prof. of Faith.	Adds. by Certif. and Otherwise.	Removals: Death, Certificate, Etc.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Societies.	Churches.	Value of Churches.	Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Value of Other Property.	Money Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Insurance Carried.	Epworth Leagues.	Epworth League Members.	Total Raised by Leagues.	Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Amount Collected for Sunday Schools.	Amount Collected for Missions.	Amount Collected on Children's Day.	Total Amount Raised.	Bible American Society.
Dickson.....	1	282	283	27	24	33	24	4	1	1	\$ 5,000	1	\$1,270	\$ 60	\$ 83 70	\$2,750	2	94	\$13 00	1	14	146	\$ 43 55	\$20 00	\$ 4 42	\$117 39	\$ 1 50
Centerville.....	...	241	241	9	9	5	2	1	2	2	2,400	1	1,300	...	303 45	...	2	120	25 2	1	11	87	19 87	25 00	3 58	48 45	4 53
Shady Grove Circuit.....	...	441	441	17	7	8	15	1	5	5	3,500	1	250	...	531 50	...	1	40	...	5	30	275	26 00	...	14 25	40 25	...
Goodrich Mission.....	...	396	396	79	57	5	64	2	7	4 3/4	2,000	...	...	...	75 00	...	...	...	...	6	30	94	9 85	...	2 45	22 30	...
White Bluff Mission.....	1	134	135	1	6	7	...	3	2	1	1,250	1	250	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	7	75	6 00	6 20	2 10	14 30	...
Charlotte Circuit.....	3	791	794	8	10	12	2	10	7	6 1/3	6,700	1	1,200	...	87 00	...	3	80	5 00	7	52	409	28 74	3 90	21 30	68 84	3 50
Yellow Creek Circuit.....	4	344	348	18	30	5	15	12	7	4	2,500	1	600	...	571 00	...	...	...	...	3	15	130	11 40	3 06	6 65	21 11	...
Erin.....	...	146	146	4	7	11	1	1	1	1	5,000	1	1,200	...	470 00	500	2	60	8 31	1	10	90	45 00	...	4 04	69 35	50
Houston Circuit.....	2	398	400	40	2	4	30	20	6	5	3,500	...	...	...	100 09	...	...	...	...	8	27	245	24 00	...	...	26 00	...
Cumberland City.....	2	502	504	17	12	5	9	5	3	3	3,700	1	800	1,000	93 00	...	1	23	5 00	3	22	280	60 20	10 69	12 34	83 23	...
Dover Circuit.....	4	521	525	56	8	5	45	13	8	7	5,000	1	500	200	325 00	...	...	...	...	8	42	475	45 00	...	19 40	86 40	...
Standing Rock Circuit.....	1	321	322	21	5	8	8	12	8	5	2,750	...	...	...	1 90	...	...	...	...	10	40	305	16 00	36	6 43	22 79	2 00
Stewart Circuit.....	2	335	337	...	...	376	1	5	7	7	5,000	1	500	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	38	242	25 40	...	...	25 40	...
Hustburg Circuit.....	3	474	477	17	14	27	16	5	5	2	3,000	1	350	...	32 50	...	2	50	...	4	30	300	25 00	15 00	7 40	47 40	...
Liberty Circuit.....	1	237	238	4	...	4	3	...	5	3	3,350	1	350	...	4 25	...	...	...	...	3	20	105	4 30	60	6 80	11 70	...
Waverly and McEwen.....	1	332	333	11	83	17	8	1	3	3	3,000	1	1,200	...	100 50	...	1	40	...	2	14	250	31 86	10 00	8 73	51 84	3 50
McEwen Mission.....	7	290	297	8	1	25	5	5	9	6	3,000	1	100	...	30 00	...	...	...	...	2	10	65	11 00	...	...	11 00	1 10
Dickson Mission.....	1	301	302	17	11	2	5	4	9	4	1,895	...	...	...	645 00	...	...	...	...	4	12	186	9 25	...	2 68	11 93	...
Bon Aqua Mission.....	2	188	190	12	3	2	12	4	7	3	200	...	...	...	211 04	...	...	...	...	1	6	37	1 50	...	...	1 50	...
Total.....	35	6,674	6,709	369	289	561	265	108	102	73	\$62,745	14	\$9,870	\$1,300	\$3,664 99	\$3,250	17	527	\$56 51	78	430	3,796	\$443 92	\$94 81	\$122 57	\$781 18	\$16 63

CHARGE.	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		Bishops.		Conf. Claimants.		Foreign Missions.		Dom'tic Mis'ns.		Ch'ch Ext'n.		Education.		Paid for Publishing Journal.	Total Amt Raised for All Purposes.
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Asses'd.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Asses'd.	Paid.		
Dickson.....	\$ 83 25	\$ 83 25	\$ 600 00	\$ 600 00	\$ 10 75	\$ 10 75	\$ 37 45	\$ 37 45	\$ 91 80	\$ 91 80	\$ 48 60	\$ 48 60	\$ 25 95	\$ 25 95	\$ 21 20	\$ 21 20	\$ 2 20	\$ 1,373 49
Centerville.....	78 65	78 65	810 00	810 00	9 75	9 75	35 05	35 05	86 70	86 70	45 90	45 90	24 00	24 00	20 40	20 40	1 75	1,460 18
Shady Grove Circuit.....	46 25	36 97	360 90	286 91	5 95	5 95	20 80	20 80	51 00	51 00	27 00	27 00	14 40	14 40	12 00	12 00	1 20	1,072 38
Goodrich Mission.....	27 75	27 75	207 25	207 25	3 60	3 60	12 55	12 55	30 60	30 60	16 00	16 00	10 00	10 00	7 20	7 20	75	525 95
White Bluff Mission.....	27 75	27 75	130 00	104 00	3 60	3 60	12 50	12 50	30 60	30 60	16 20	16 20	8 65	5 00	7 20	5 00	75	492 94
Charlotte Circuit.....	74 80	50 35	600 00	489 11	9 55	9 55	33 30	24 00	81 60	60 00	47 40	34 00	23 05	15 12	19 20	13 00	4 00	918 27
Yellow Creek Circuit.....	46 25	37 80	327 00	265 45	5 95	5 95	20 80	20 80	51 00	51 00	27 00	27 00	14 40	7 00	12 00	5 00	1 20	1,123 44
Erin.....	74 00	50 00	450 00	450 00	9 55	3 00	33 30	6 30	81 60	30 00	40 00	18 00	23 05	2 00	19 20	3 00	70	1,052 66
Houston Circuit.....	23 15	23 15	500 00	200 00	3 00	3 00	10 40	10 40	25 50	25 50	13 50	13 50	7 10	2 00	6 00	1 35	60	279 00
Cumberland City.....	78 65	64 30	500 00	450 05	10 15	10 15	35 35	35 35	86 70	86 70	45 90	45 90	24 50	10 75	20 40	20 40	1 50	905 35
Dover Circuit.....	46 25	46 25	450 00	450 00	5 95	5 95	20 80	20 80	51 00	51 00	27 00	27 00	14 40	14 40	12 00	12 00	1 20	1,178 00
Standing Rock Circuit.....	34 70	33 35	252 80	235 85	4 50	4 50	15 60	15 60	38 25	40 00	19 45	19 45	9 40	9 40	9 00	9 00	90	483 03
Stewart Circuit.....	46 25	30 90	300 00	219 00	5 95	5 95	20 80	20 80	51 00	30 00	27 00	27 00	14 40	7 20	12 00	7 20	1 20	442 65
Hustburg Circuit.....	43 95	43 95	447 00	447 00	6 65	6 65	22 00	22 00	48 45	50 00	26 15	26 25	15 30	15 30	12 40	12 40	1 15	797 60
Liberty Circuit.....	41 65	23 05	260 00	161 15	5 35	5 35	18 75	18 75	45 90	45 90	24 30	24 30	13 00	13 00	10 80	10 80	1 10	368 75
Waverly and McEwen.....	82 25	82 25	600 00	600 00	10 75	10 75	37 45	37 45	91 80	91 80	48 60	48 60	25 95	26 00	21 60	21 60	2 20	1,370 34
McEwen Mission.....	23 15	13 15	147 50	97 10	2 00	2 00	8 15	8 15	25 50	24 00	13 00	13 00	6 00	6 00	5 00	5 00	60	298 00
Dickson Mission.....	32 40	13 75	210 00	98 70	4 20	4 20	14 50	10 00	35 70	28 10	18 90	15 00	10 10	7 00	8 40	4 20	50	951 84
Bon Aqua Mission.....	13 90	4 35	75 00	28 85	1 80	1 80	6 25	4 60	15 30	15 30	8 10	8 10	4 35	4 35	3 60	3 60	40	305 79
Total.....	\$925 00	\$770 97	\$6,926 05	\$6,200 40	\$119 00	\$112 45	\$415 80	\$375 00	\$1,020 00	\$920 00	\$540 00	\$500 80	\$288 00	\$218 87	\$240 00	\$194 35	\$23 90	\$15,399 68



## CLARKSVILLE DISTRICT.

CHARGE.	Local Preachers.	Members.	Total Members.	Add'ns on Prof. of Faith.	Adds. by Certif. and Otherwise.	Removals: Death, Certificate, Etc.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Societies.	Churches.	Value of Churches.	Parsonages.	Value of Parson-ages.	Value of Other Church Prop-erty.	Money Expended for Churches and Parson-ages.	Insurance Car-ried.	Epworth Leagues.	Epworth League Members.	Total Raised by us.	Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Amount Collected for Sunday Schools.	Amount Collected for Missions.	Amount Collected on Children's Day.	Total Amount Raised.	American Bible Society.
Madison Street.....	1	529	529	39	19	49	12	7	1	1	\$ 45,000	1	\$ 5,000	.....	\$ 75 00	\$27,700	1	60	\$ 76 00	1	26	275	\$175 00	\$ 60 00	\$ 11 00	\$ 261 00	\$16 60
Forest Street Mission.....	1	116	116	4	2	7	2	3	1	1	2,700	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,000	.....	.....	.....	1	9	69	15 74	3 00	.....	18 74	1 30
Asbury Circuit.....	1	546	547	16	6	6	16	4	5	4	5,050	1	1,600	.....	146 80	.....	.....	.....	3	18	159	32 70	1 76	4 00	40 96	3 07	
Antioch Circuit.....	1	534	535	12	18	19	11	2	4	4	4,000	1	1,000	.....	105 00	.....	.....	.....	4	32	271	30 10	.....	.....	30 10	1 25	
Bethlehem & Hick'y Pt. Mis	1	332	332	12	108	35	11	18	3	2 1/2	3,000	.....	.....	.....	10 00	.....	.....	.....	5	25	200	10 00	16 10	10 00	51 75	.....	
Big Rock Circuit.....	1	420	421	35	10	25	35	12	4	4	3,500	1	575	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	24	160	15 00	10 00	.....	25 00	.....	
Cedar Hill Circuit.....	1	401	402	8	5	109	7	7	3	3	7,100	1	700	.....	.....	.....	1	25	9 00	3	19	175	32 04	14 86	10 43	57 33	3 25
Cross Plains Circuit.....	1	547	548	15	7	17	15	1	5	5	6,527	1	1,300	.....	37 85	.....	.....	.....	4	30	125	32 53	.....	5 00	37 53	.....	
Montgomery Circuit.....	1	662	663	70	10	23	46	3	8	7	6,385	1	350	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	30	248	39 50	6 80	3 00	57 30	.....	
New Providence and Bethel	1	257	257	22	4	11	14	1	4	4	7,000	1	2,000	.....	30 00	1,600	2	42	5 00	4	26	210	49 15	33 59	15 00	125 74	1 00
Pleasant View and Mallorys	2	485	487	4	3	14	3	4	3	3	5,750	1	1,000	.....	191 05	.....	.....	.....	3	15	275	29 75	7 34	7 35	44 44	2 50	
Palmyra Mission.....	2	432	434	3	4	18	3	1	5	6	3,000	1	600	\$100 00	174 48	.....	.....	.....	6	18	300	28 88	.....	4 50	88 38	2 00	
Red River Circuit.....	1	598	598	75	12	20	59	26	5	5	5,500	1	1,000	.....	128 95	.....	.....	.....	5	25	306	35 27	2 55	5 45	43 27	2 25	
Springfield.....	1	296	297	14	14	17	11	3	1	1	5,500	1	1,500	700 00	.....	800	.....	.....	1	13	165	180 12	26 72	12 10	218 94	3 00	
Sadlersville and Adams.....	1	326	326	.....	9	16	.....	.....	2	2	6,000	1	1,200	.....	175 00	.....	1	25	60 00	2	17	175	59 00	.....	4 30	63 30	.....
Southside Circuit.....	2	602	604	9	34	19	23	2	5	5	5,920	1	1,000	.....	904 24	400	.....	.....	6	43	338	53 73	2 14	12 30	68 17	7 47	
St. Bethlehem Circuit.....	1	187	188	6	5	14	3	1	3	3	4,300	1	1,300	100 00	157 65	.....	.....	.....	3	15	75	10 00	3 00	7 00	20 00	3 00	
Ashland City and Clifton...	2	324	326	.....	2	196	.....	.....	3	2	2,000	1	800	.....	55 00	.....	.....	.....	4	12	219	25 00	16 04	19 13	60 17	2 00	
Total.....	16	7,594	7,610	344	262	615	271	95	65	62 1/2	\$128,232	16	\$20,925	\$900 00	\$2,191 02	\$32,500	5	152	\$150 00	65	397	3,735	\$853 51	\$203 90	\$130 56	\$1,312 12	\$48 69

CHARGE.	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		Bishops.		Conf. Claim'ts.		Foreign Missions.		Dom. Missions.		Church Ex'n.		Education.		Paid for Publishing Journal.	Total Amt Raised for All Purposes.
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Asses'd.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Asses'd.	Paid.	Asses'd.	Paid.		
Madison Street.....	\$ 270 00	\$ 270 00	\$ 1,800 00	\$ 1,800 00	\$ 42 85	\$ 42 85	\$149 70	\$149 70	\$ 367 20	\$ 367 20	\$ 194 40	\$ 194 40	\$104 05	\$104 05	\$ 86 00	\$ 86 40	\$ 8 65	\$ 4,933 35
Forest Street Mission.....	37 50	34 39	250 00	229 16	5 95	5 95	20 80	20 80	51 00	51 00	27 00	27 00	14 45	14 45	12 00	12 00	1 20	419 36
Asbury Circuit.....	78 75	78 75	600 00	600 00	12 50	12 50	43 65	43 65	107 10	107 10	56 70	56 70	30 35	30 35	25 20	6 25	2 50	1,581 08
Antioch Circuit.....	78 75	74 60	600 00	568 59	12 50	12 50	43 65	43 65	107 10	100 00	56 70	56 70	30 35	19 65	25 20	15 00	2 50	1,306 20
Bethlehem & Hick'y Pt. Mis	45 00	27 35	400 00	245 50	7 15	7 15	24 95	24 95	61 20	61 20	32 40	32 40	17 35	17 35	14 40	14 40	1 45	555 50
Big Rock Circuit.....	41 25	41 25	420 00	420 00	6 55	6 55	22 85	22 85	56 10	20 00	29 70	29 70	15 90	4 00	13 20	.....	1 30	586 65
Cedar Hill Circuit.....	108 75	95 55	700 00	614 60	17 25	17 25	60 30	55 80	147 90	87 00	78 30	78 30	41 90	10 00	34 80	25 00	3 50	1,250 60
Cross Plains Circuit.....	78 75	74 60	630 00	596 55	12 50	12 50	43 65	43 61	107 10	107 10	56 70	56 70	30 35	30 35	25 20	25 20	2 50	1,078 07
Montgomery Circuit.....	78 75	78 75	750 00	750 00	12 50	12 50	43 65	25 00	107 10	50 00	56 70	56 70	30 35	20 00	25 20	4 42	2 05	1,879 33
New Providence and Bethel	97 50	97 50	750 00	733 55	15 45	15 45	54 05	54 05	132 60	132 60	70 20	53 10	37 55	29 50	31 20	23 70	3 10	1,521 95
Pleasant View and Mallorys	63 75	57 70	600 00	541 50	10 10	10 10	35 35	16 35	86 70	73 25	45 90	45 90	24 55	7 55	20 40	10 40	2 10	1,542 50
Palmyra Mission.....	45 00	39 10	300 00	261 77	7 15	7 15	24 95	34 95	61 20	61 20	32 40	32 40	17 35	17 35	14 40	14 40	1 45	526 77
Red River Circuit.....	75 00	70 60	600 00	564 86	11 90	11 90	41 60	35 00	102 00	82 00	54 00	54 00	28 90	10 00	24 00	10 00	2 40	1,071 95
Springfield.....	108 75	108 75	900 00	900 00	17 25	17 25	60 30	60 30	147 90	100 00	78 30	78 30	41 90	41 90	34 80	34 80	3 50	1,720 62
Sadlersville and Adams.....	101 25	93 05	700 00	636 85	16 05	16 05	56 15	56 15	137 70	66 31	72 90	72 90	39 00	10 00	32 40	5 00	3 25	1,408 85
Southside Circuit.....	78 75	78 75	650 00	650 00	12 50	12 50	43 65	43 65	107 10	107 10	56 70	56 70	30 35	30 35	25 20	25 20	2 50	2,257 61
St. Bethlehem Circuit.....	52 50	52 50	600 00	600 00	8 35	8 35	29 10	29 10	71 40	50 00	37 80	37 80	20 25	10 00	16 80	4 00	1 70	1,075 90
Ashland City and Clifton...	50 00	48 86	500 00	482 84	9 50	9 50	33 25	33 25	81 60	58 70	43 20	31 00	23 10	10 00	19 20	.....	1 90	946 95
Total.....	\$1,490 00	\$1,422 05	\$11,750 00	\$11,195 77	\$238 00	\$238 00	\$831 60	\$792 76	\$2,040 00	\$1,681 76	\$1,080 00	\$1,050 80	\$578 80	\$406 50	\$480 00	\$316 17	\$48 40	\$25,653 24

# RECAPITULATION.\*

DISTRICT.	Local Preachers.	Members.	Total Members.	Add'tns on Prof. of Faith.	Add. by Certif. and Otherwise.	Removals: Death, Certificate, Etc.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	Societies.	Churches.	Value of Churches.	Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Value of Other Church Property.	Money Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Insurance Carried.	Epworth League.	Epworth League Members.	Total Raised by Leagues.	Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Amount Collected for Sunday Schools.	Amount Collected for Missions.	Amount Collected on Children's Day.	Total Amount Raised.
Nashville.....	45	6,507	6,552	208	593	704	96	86	33	31	\$ 218,250	6	\$ 11,800	\$ 5,050 00	\$ 1,955 03	\$103,450	20	744	661 61	31	347	3,897	\$1,377 76	\$ 403 51	\$ 83 71	\$ 2,135 13
East Nashville.....	19	7,425	7,444	292	285	316	192	77	58	54½	157,160	13	16,400	3,335 00	3,423 18	68,400	19	647	377 42	55	478	4,409	1,377 06	402 45	210 80	2,306 81
Lebanon.....	23	7,634	7,657	318	145	307	260	34	90	80	73,180	8	13,175	2,945 00	5,056 30	5,500	1	32	1 50	71	468	4,269	658 08	62 55	89 91	1,069 46
Murfreesboro.....	16	6,919	6,935	355	214	438	252	65	76	69	146,925	13	13,000	1,440 00	3,707 88	15,400	4	107	55 10	63	401	3,809	693 41	79 50	98 56	1,073 47
Fayetteville.....	25	7,153	7,178	501	252	332	388	59	73	66	79,959	15	12,550	275 00	6,426 73	19,500	5	236	14 21	53	354	3,291	651 78	99 90	80 48	872 66
Columbia.....	11	7,247	7,258	479	190	324	345	56	52	52	103,925	16	19,090	8,109 00	2,237 11	33,150	6	164	262 70	52	391	3,885	841 82	176 72	120 76	1,267 42
Franklin.....	21	5,667	5,688	178	194	266	137	64	53	51¼	87,750	11	12,650	250 00	4,314 26	25,200	4	150	32 50	49	313	2,836	508 20	133 76	167 68	848 80
Savannah.....	18	3,980	3,998	194	88	196	160	39	69	44½	33,510	13	7,225	518 00	677 70	5,000	7	155	23 80	48	249	2,249	315 65	87 34	39 93	456 86
Dickson.....	35	6,674	6,709	369	289	561	265	108	102	73	62,745	14	9,870	1,300 00	3,664 99	3,250	17	527	56 51	78	430	3,796	443 92	94 81	122 57	781 18
Clarksville.....	16	7,594	7,610	844	262	615	271	95	65	62½	128,232	16	20,925	900 00	2,191 02	32,500	5	152	150 00	65	397	3,735	853 51	203 90	130 46	1,312 12
Total this year...	229	66,800	67,029	3,738	2,512	4,059	2,366	683	671	583¾	\$1,091,636	125	\$136,685	\$24,122 00	\$33,684 20	\$311,350	88	2,914	\$1,635 35	565	3,828	36,176	\$7,721 19	\$1,744 44	\$1,144 96	\$12,103 91
Total last year...	241	66,737	66,978	3,473	3,033	4,469	2,454	768	683	588	1,053,830	126	128,855	24,952 00	37,231 42	311,050	95	3,464	.....	553	3,799	33,349	7,733 80	1,468 73	1,106 52	11,743 05
Increase.....	.....	63	51	265	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$ 37,806	.....	\$ 7,830	.....	.....	\$ 300	.....	.....	.....	12	29	2,827	.....	\$ 275 71	\$ 38 44	\$ 360 86
Decrease.....	12	.....	.....	.....	521	410	88	85	12	4¼	.....	1	.....	\$ 830 00	\$ 3,547 22	.....	7	550	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$ 12 61	.....	.....	.....

DISTRICT.	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		Bishops.		Conf. Claimants.		Foreign Missions.		Domestic Mis'ns.		Church Extens'n.		Education.		American Bible Society.	Paid for Publishing Journal.	Total Am't Raised for All Purposes.
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.			
Nashville.....	\$ 2,000 00	\$ 1,938 21	\$ 10,335 25	\$14,369 19	\$ 341 00	\$ 319 50	\$1,177 10	\$1,151 94	\$ 2,890 00	\$ 2,613 81	\$1,530 00	\$1,491 50	\$ 816 00	\$ 636 50	\$ 680 00	\$ 557 59	\$ 23 15	\$ 63 00	\$ 44,647 74
East Nashville.....	1,750 00	1,695 71	12,539 00	12,113 40	260 00	256 30	900 90	849 93	2,210 00	2,089 09	1,170 00	1,185 85	624 00	405 47	520 00	380 18	34 11	43 25	37,007 19
Lebanon.....	1,000 00	880 94	6,900 75	6,118 73	139 00	124 00	485 00	361 00	1,190 00	681 55	630 00	521 48	336 00	206 75	280 00	158 40	5 97	24 70	15,708 14
Murfreesboro.....	1,482 00	1,301 53	8,668 00	7,915 66	219 00	190 90	766 00	528 90	1,870 00	1,024 56	990 00	742 97	515 00	240 21	440 00	172 10	25 50	29 00	17,720 61
Fayetteville.....	1,351 35	1,181 07	9,421 00	8,525 40	198 00	143 41	693 00	382 10	1,700 00	846 77	900 00	540 55	480 00	156 45	400 00	148 15	16 64	29 37	21,384 18
Columbia.....	1,500 00	1,448 03	10,783 50	10,447 08	218 00	211 50	762 00	723 15	1,870 00	1,510 71	990 00	893 00	726 00	512 60	440 00	328 00	17 65	45 00	21,778 78
Franklin.....	1,200 00	1,157 42	7,936 00	7,736 83	178 00	178 90	623 70	604 55	1,530 00	1,288 40	810 00	796 95	432 00	347 95	360 00	287 07	40 22	36 05	22,506 42
Savannah.....	795 00	624 14	5,185 00	4,051 88	78 00	78 00	272 20	184 55	672 00	308 75	356 00	273 55	194 00	114 85	158 00	100 65	18 35	12 95	7,148 50
Dickson.....	925 00	770 97	6,926 05	6,200 40	119 00	112 45	415 80	375 00	1,020 00	920 00	540 00	500 80	288 00	218 87	240 00	194 35	16 63	23 90	15,399 68
Clarksville.....	1,490 00	1,422 05	11,750 00	11,195 77	238 00	238 00	831 60	792 76	2,040 00	1,681 76	1,080 00	1,050 80	578 80	406 50	480 00	316 17	48 69	48 40	25,653 24
Total this year	\$13,493 35	\$11,420 07	\$ 99,444 55	\$88,674 34	\$1,988 00	\$1,852 96	\$6,927 30	\$5,953 88	\$16,992 00	\$13,055 40	\$8,996 00	\$7,997 45	\$4,989 80	\$2,746 15	\$3,998 00	\$2,642 66	\$246 91	\$355 62	\$225,954 48
Total last year	13,523 00	12,250 09	96,638 71	89,068 84	1,960 40	1,882 68	6,590 00	5,459 67	17,000 65	12,291 67	9,000 05	7,762 70	6,002 00	3,583 34	.....	2289 97	250 06	417 49	233,220 42
Increase.....	.....	.....	\$ 2,805 84	.....	\$ 18 60	.....	\$ 337 30	\$ 494 21	.....	\$ 763 73	.....	\$ 234 75	.....	.....	.....	\$ 352 69	.....	.....	.....
Decrease.....	\$ 29 65	\$ 830 02	.....	\$ 394 50	.....	\$ 29 72	.....	.....	\$ 8 65	.....	\$ 4 05	.....	\$1,012 20	\$ 837 19	.....	.....	\$ 12 15	\$ 61 87	\$ 4,265 94

\* District parsonages, 5; value, \$9,972.

# STATISTICS OF TENNESSEE CONFERENCE FROM 1866 TO 1901 INCLUSIVE.

Year.	Local Preachers.	White Members.	Colored Members.	Traveling Preachers.	Superannuated Preachers.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches.	Value of Churches.	No. Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars.	Presiding Elders.	Paid Presiding Elders.	Average Salary Presiding Elders.	Effective Preachers, not incl. P. E.	Paid Preacher in Charge.	AV. Salary P. C.	Bishops.	Conf. Claimants.	Foreign Missions.	Domestic Missions.	Missions.	Woman's Missionary Societies.	Church Extension.
1866..	329	35,566	1,647	152	12	1,103	492	.....	.....	.....	.....	219	1,073	8,995	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$1,428 75	.....	.....	\$1,430 90	.....	.....
1867..	398	38,966	1,257	166	13	3,709	697	.....	.....	.....	.....	281	1,725	12,917	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,679 30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1868..	899	41,004	336	176	10	3,024	905	.....	.....	.....	.....	403	2,626	18,721	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,565 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1869..	436	41,917	400	187	10	2,245	854	.....	.....	.....	.....	419	2,808	21,143	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,646 61	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1870..	302	33,789	173	155	7	2,408	654	.....	.....	.....	.....	320	2,039	15,381	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,108 05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1871..	317	36,459	144	167	8	2,732	892	.....	.....	.....	.....	356	2,127	17,009	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,075 40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1872..	307	38,591	53	174	6	2,950	1,118	492	\$ 658,610	15	\$ 43,750	351	2,007	17,388	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,287 85	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1873..	340	39,645	22	174	6	2,938	1,000	483	875,030	24	105,150	371	2,223	18,945	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,476 80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1874..	342	41,004	10	185	6	3,284	942	495	690,595	22	96,550	367	2,475	18,888	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,421 65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1875..	331	40,768	2	192	6	2,039	687	443	618,327	22	51,900	361	2,579	17,876	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,013 15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1876..	352	42,819	12	198	7	2,700	870	481	622,090	23	49,000	380	2,741	19,352	11	\$ 8,267 88	\$ 756	.....	\$49,716 88	.....	.....	2,119 75	3,250 00	2,210 00	.....	.....	.....
1877..	353	44,256	5	193	9	2,571	816	523	661,775	26	48,600	384	2,870	21,250	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,144 55	4,691 60	2,751 78	.....	.....	.....
1878..	340	45,254	6	202	10	2,464	668	494	660,820	26	32,800	374	2,625	20,181	11	7,634 63	694	160	48,473 03	\$303	1,581 65	2,128 45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1879..	332	45,684	10	191	12	2,652	704	515	578,468	36	47,388	424	2,898	20,634	11	7,648 72	695	156	45,546 07	292	1,333 20	1,918 00	3,579 52	2,214 07	.....	\$ 303 35	.....
1880..	343	46,428	15	198	13	2,503	840	511	527,898	40	47,293	432	2,823	22,562	11	7,749 28	704	161	54,119 14	336	1,517 10	2,326 60	4,691 50	2,612 30	.....	721 40	.....
1881..	367	47,730	12	182	12	2,872	844	490	597,943	45	47,725	457	2,982	23,509	11	7,650 37	695	145	53,162 28	367	1,515 35	2,515 88	5,146 60	2,470 00	.....	1,406 00	.....
1882..	324	46,137	6	181	10	2,189	624	521	570,861	46	62,900	478	2,989	23,682	10	7,711 43	771	157	51,248 61	327	1,595 54	2,936 78	6,577 58	2,197 85	.....	1,828 33	.....
1883..	322	47,900	2	184	11	2,290	1,011	525	566,138	52	47,350	465	2,765	24,587	10	8,745 06	874	153	57,181 38	374	1,760 45	3,136 21	8,243 58	3,037 06	.....	1,492 06	\$1,631 44
1884..	318	58,456	7	173	18	2,479	787	560	672,826	60	57,905	467	2,987	23,123	10	9,130 58	913	145	61,309 33	422	1,759 60	3,451 22	11,882 80	5,797 08	.....	1,761 45	2,561 10
1885..	314	52,865	11	169	16	4,961	1,378	555	686,327	62	59,834	479	3,336	24,675	10	9,035 29	903	159	60,450 43	380	1,705 91	3,587 39	12,610 65	3,368 20	.....	1,844 43	2,163 65
1886..	316	54,747	10	185	17	3,349	1,238	518	651,775	66	73,414	488	3,220	27,661	10	9,557 36	955	153	65,044 73	425	1,744 35	3,355 26	13,887 00	3,625 00	.....	2,706 28	2,763 24
1887..	303	55,533	4	174	17	2,754	1,256	513	726,340	72	70,301	487	3,233	27,965	10	10,086 27	1,008	147	69,630 57	473	2,100 38	4,310 37	17,872 53	3,786 04	.....	2,755 72	3,372 93
1888..	308	55,858	4	189	18	2,902	1,132	530	747,720	80	73,162	510	3,394	29,140	10	11,765 98	1,176	169	73,154 70	433	2,100 95	5,167 28	20,423 61	4,200 41	.....	5,266 15	3,816 31
1889..	278	57,513	5	186	18	2,866	1,090	515	844,805	92	99,128	503	3,493	31,026	10	12,197 56	1,219	167	77,033 39	461	2,106 40	1,252 90	19,560 01	4,694 48	.....	4,147 52	4,034 08
1890..	299	59,734	.....	180	22	2,877	1,324	527	867,959	101	105,143	531	3,493	30,921	11	11,549 19	1,154	170	77,953 21	467	2,693 48	1,133 30	18,070 85	4,861 72	.....	4,353 30	3,889 52
1891..	302	59,102	.....	170	23	2,972	1,187	528	1,187,528	97	101,654	524	3,576	31,129	10	11,409 56	1,141	162	78,637 85	485	2,694 46	3,958 63	18,022 30	4,714 85	.....	4,769 86	4,317 92
1892..	278	60,784	9	179	25	2,565	986	542	958,013	104	110,093	527	3,541	33,729	10	11,465 83	1,146	161	82,781 21	514	1,764 69	4,742 12	15,890 16	5,538 61	.....	3,198 05	3,863 06
1893..	300	63,087	.....	178	24	3,424	1,130	551	973,021	117	117,516	556	3,616	32,439	10	11,561 84	1,156	164	81,325 02	495	1,740 16	4,403 33	12,728 31	5,620 31	.....	2,927 59	3,102 04
1894..	323	66,246	6	176	20	3,400	1,194	551	1,004,213	118	116,795	567	3,911	34,283	10	11,214 31	1,121	166	81,479 49	491	1,772 11	4,965 65	11,990 56	6,100 90	.....	2,582 86	2,834 46
1895..	297	66,594	.....	185	21	3,243	1,128	564	971,792	120	123,863	554	3,857	33,822	10	11,043 94	1,104	175	81,701 04	467	1,793 95	4,787 22	12,102 56	8,505 75	.....	3,195 77	2,853 66
1896..	284	68,046	.....	198	21	2,706	975	582	1,030,866	123	128,418	562	3,849	33,735	10	11,091 59	1,109	188	89,503 78	428	1,786 09	4,751 43	11,330 72	6,636 65	.....	3,050 67	2,712 62
1897..	294	67,079	9	190	21	2,372	896	589	1,040,265	128	132,828	574	4,065	34,691	10	11,626 12	1,162	190	81,727 54	430	1,776 38	4,781 52	11,506 69	6,884 05	.....	4,277 25	2,692 70
1898..	290	67,302	.....	191	24	2,160	914	600	1,052,722	129	130,805	581	4,013	34,435	10	11,576 62	1,158	177	82,159 35	464	1,677 70	4,598 62	10,598 83	7,238 76	.....	3,033 51	2,756 84
1899..	272	67,225	.....	195	24	1,901	707	605	1,058,868	135	133,900	570	3,947	33,471	10	11,947 38	1,195	185	86,918 68	469	1,754 60	5,987 30	12,292 03	8,069 08	.....	4,162 70	3,149 62
1900..	267	67,860	.....	196	21	1,998	877	595	1,063,214	130	133,451	567	3,897	33,424	10	12,171 93	1,217	186	88,043 42	473	1,742 44	5,282 61	12,474 15	8,201 50	.....	5,158 55	3,237 68
1901..	241	66,737	.....	195	22	2,454	768	588	1,053,830	126	128,855	553	3,799	33,349	10	12,250 09	1,225	185	89,068 84	481	1,882 68	5,459 67	12,291 67	7,762 70	.....	4,774 13	3,583 34
1902..	229	66,800	.....	190	18	2,366	683	584	1,091,636	125	136,685	565	3,828	36,176	10	11,420 07	1,142	180	87,674 34	493	1,852 96	5,953 88	13,045 40	7,997 45	.....	10,791 52	2,716 15

In 1870 the North Alabama Conference was formed, and the territory of the Tennessee Conference reduced.

The salaries received by the preachers do not include sums that they received from the Domestic Mission Board.

The white population of Middle Tennessee in 1870 was 404,075; and in 1880, 492,368—an increase of 21 per cent. The membership of the Tennessee Conference in 1870 was 33,789, and in 1880 it was 46,428—an increase of 37 per cent.

In 1868 the membership of the Tennessee Conference paid 6¼ cents per capita for missions; in 1878 they paid 13½ cents, while in 1888 they paid 53½ cents per capita.

The figures in reference to salaries are not satisfactory, as the number of preachers include only those in full connection, and do not include local preachers serving as "supplies;" on the other hand, some of those on the "effective" list are connected with educational institutions, and still others are engaged in connectional work. Of course these items cause our figures to be but approximately accurate, yet they are as nearly correct as we can make them. The loss of records by fire and otherwise has prevented making more detailed reports.

## REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S FOREIGN AND HOME MISSION SOCIETIES.

## Nashville District.

CHARGE.	Woman's Foreign Mis- sionary Society.	Woman's Home Mission Society.
McKendree .....	\$ 720 83	\$1,029 93
Elm Street .....	150 00	345 00
West End .....	375 35	532 58
West Nashville .....	121 00	276 10
Carroll Street .....	125 39	123 75
North High Street .....	20 20	112 61
South St. and Watkins Grove .....	4 49	.....
McTyeire Memorial .....	10 00	.....
Humphreys Street .....	100 70	.....
Waverly Place .....	73 97	70 26
Arlington .....	103 00	.....
Total .....	\$1,804 93	\$2,490 23

## East Nashville District.

Tulip Street .....	\$ 698 35	\$1,047 66
McFerrin Memorial .....	128 08	198 10
East End .....	35 40	.....
Hobson Chapel .....	47 65	31 30
Trinity .....	40 00	.....
Alex Green .....	55 93	.....
Goodlettsville .....	74 40	55 30
Gallatin .....	144 45	328 28
Saundersville .....	.....	20 00
Castalian Springs .....	.....	15 00
Total .....	\$1,224 26	\$1,695 84

## Lebanon District.

Lebanon .....	\$ 72 38	\$ 181 88
Lebanon Circuit .....	.....	4 80
Smithville .....	.....	38 75
Cokesbury .....	60 00	.....
Total .....	\$132 38	\$225 43

## Murfreesboro District.

Murfreesboro .....	\$111 62	\$197 03
Stone's River .....	5 50	.....
Walnut Grove .....	.....	19 50
Wartrace .....	.....	96 36
McMinnville .....	45 95	.....
Sparta and Bon Air .....	.....	9 60
Tullahoma .....	.....	180 00
Total .....	\$163 07	\$501 49

## Fayetteville District.

Fayetteville .....	\$ 65 15	.....
Lewisburg and Petersburg .....	40 00	.....
Winchester .....	.....	\$70 00
Tracy City and Altamont .....	3 00	.....
Bellbuckle .....	40 60	.....
Total .....	\$148 75	\$70 00

## Columbia District.

CHARGE.	Woman's Foreign Mis- sionary Society.	Woman's Home Mission Society.
Columbia .....	\$100 10	.....
Mt. Pleasant .....	60 00	.....
Culleoka and Burke's .....	21 40	.....
Pulaski .....	117 75	.....
Lynnville and Taylor's .....	.....	\$113 50
Prospect and Pleasant Hill .....	34 48	.....
Richland .....	.....	18 28
Total .....	\$333 73	\$131 78

## Franklin District.

Franklin .....	\$128 89	\$133 51
Franklin Circuit .....	44 00	.....
Thompson Circuit .....	23 80	56 65
Spring Hill .....	105 00	.....
Nolensville Circuit .....	.....	54 25
Santa Fé Circuit .....	21 90	.....
College Grove and Triune .....	.....	114 00
Chapel Hill and Caney Springs .....	28 58	.....
Farmington Circuit .....	25 00	.....
Wesley Circuit .....	22 00	.....
Total .....	\$399 17	\$358 41

## Savannah District.

Savannah Station .....	\$ 69 50	.....
Williamsport .....	20 00	.....
Hampshire and Cross Bridges .....	14 30	.....
Total .....	\$103 80	.....

## Dickson District.

Dickson .....	\$ 16 00	.....
Centerville .....	22 90	.....
Erin .....	7 76	.....
Hustburg Circuit .....	2 00	.....
Waverly and McEwen .....	68 00	\$48 65
Total .....	\$116 76	\$48 65

## Clarksville District.

Madison Street .....	\$108 00	\$240 00
Antioch .....	12 66	.....
Cedar Hill .....	25 20	.....
Cross Plains .....	31 00	.....
New Providence and Bethel .....	40 00	.....
Palmyra .....	.....	199 48
Springfield .....	40 25	25 35
Sadlersville and Adams .....	30 00	.....
Southside .....	46 98	.....
St. Bethlehem .....	9 75	.....
Ashland City and Clifton .....	34 17	.....
Total .....	\$378 01	\$464 83

## Summary.

Foreign Missions .....	\$1,804 86
Home Missions .....	5,986 66



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